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J. B. GODWIN,

DENTAL SURGEON,
CONTINUES THE PRACTICE OF HIS PROFESSION at his rooms, over the store of C. Pool, Esq.
Elizabeth City, April 28, 1857.

GEORGE W. BELL,

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RIFLES, PISTOLS, SPORTING APPARATUS AND FINE CUTLERY,
Main Street, Elizabeth City, N. C.
jan 17—1y

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Baltimore Street, Baltimore.
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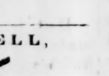
Likenesses taken equally well in all weather. aug 6

CARD.
G. VAUGHAN RESPECTFULLY OFFERS his services as an auctioneer and the patronage of the public. Any commands to him will be punctually attended to. Sales returns made after sale.
THOS. G. VAUGHAN.
Elizabeth City, N. C. June 2, 1857.

HARDWARE!
NORTHERN IMPORTING ESTABLISHMENT.
HALLYN, ROSE & CAPPS,
Sign of the Square, Sign of the Saw,
Call the attention of merchants of Virginia and North Carolina to their large and well stock of HARDWARE, imported directly from Europe, and purchased from the most extensive manufacturers in this country, upon as favorable terms as similar goods can be purchased in the Northern or Eastern cities, and adapted to the wants of the Southern public.
Norfolk, Sept 23

BOOT AND SHOE STORE
AT THE WATER.



The subscriber has just opened at the store recently occupied by W. B. Burgess esq., on Water street, a large assortment of Ladies', Gentlemen's, Misses', Boys' and Children's Boots, Shoes and Gaiters, of every description. Also a large lot of Silk and Wool HATS, BONNETS, TRUNKS, CARPET-BAGS and UMBRELLAS. The public are invited to call and examine for themselves.
T. D. KNOX.
Oct. 1856.

EDDICKSVILLE SEMINARY.
REV. J. KELLOGG, Jr., A. M., PRINCIPAL,
ASSISTED BY FOLSOM, A. B., ASSISTANT
THE SEVENTEENTH SESSION WILL commence on the first Monday in January, and close till the third Friday in July.
Regular attendance at the opening of the session earnestly requested.
Terms and tuition in the common English branches for the Academic Year of forty weeks payable at the end of each session. Do. do. the higher English Branches, and Languages $120. Students are admitted at any time without additional charge. No deduction will be made from date of admission, except in case of protracted illness. For further particulars please address the Principal.
Perquimans, Gates Co., N. C., Dec. 15, '57—3t.

RALEIGH HOUSE,
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.
W. RIDDICK, Proprietor,
W. F. LEE, Superintendent.
THE ATTENTION OF THE TRAVELLING public is most respectfully solicited to the accommodations offered by this commodious, and popular Hotel. Located in the central and business part of the city. The large, airy, and well furnished rooms, are supplied with the luxuries of the table, the honest and attentive servants, and the whole supplied with every comfort and convenience to make the guest feel at home, it offers terms unsurpassed by any Hotel in the State. In its future management it will lose sight of that reputation which has ranked it as a first class Hotel.
Grateful for past patronage, the proprietor solicits a liberal continuance.
Jan 1, 1858.

PERRY'S CITY HOTEL,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.
EDWIN BERRY, PROPRIETOR.
THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD RESPECTfully inform his friends and patrons, and the public generally, that he has leased for a few years the Hotel formerly kept by Geo. Williams, Esq., and is now prepared to accommodate all who may favor him with their custom.
The table will always be furnished with the choicest edibles afforded by our market, and the attentions will be found polite and attentive. Travelling public are requested to give him a call. Every possible exertion will be made to give entire satisfaction to those who may favor him at the "CITY HOTEL."
Jan 28, 1857—1y

FOR SALE OR RENT.
I will Sell or Rent that Valuable piece of property adjoining the Ship Yard of W. F. Lee, esq, and now occupied by J. Black Esq. The improvements consists of a New Brick Store, Out Houses, and an Office.
Any one wishing to purchase or rent, can examine the Premises, and learn the Terms by application to WILLIS GRANDY
At the Flora Bridge, Camden County.
jan 5—1m

TWO VALUABLE FARMS FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED wishing to quit the business offers at private sale, his TWO FARMS known as the "Sutton and Morrice Farms," on "Turkey Ridge" in Perquimans County, N. C.

For beauty and rich land both of the said Farms equal if not surpass any in the Eastern part of North Carolina. The part of the two Farms under cultivation is very productive and desirable to the Farmer. An opportunity of purchasing land of *such extra* quality is seldom offered. The first tract contains about SEVEN HUNDRED ACRES, the second FIVE HUNDRED and over. Both of the said Farms may be converted into one if required. They have on them two good tenements and out buildings, and convenient to two Landings for shipping. It lies in a compact body, but may be easily divided into several tracts.

All persons wishing to examine the land, are respectfully invited to call and see for themselves. The undersigned will take pleasure in riding over and showing the land.

I will offer for sale upon liberal terms of credit, provided such security as required be given.

W. A. MEBANE

Woodville, Nov. 25, 1856.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
PERQUIMANS COUNTY.

Court of Equity—To Spring Term 1858.

William Felton adm'r of Thomas B. Long, vs. Luther R. Long. } Attachment.

IT appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant Luther R. Long is not a resident of this State, but resides beyond its limits, it is ordered therefore that publication be made for six successive weeks in the "Democratic Pioneer," published at Elizabeth City, for the said defendant to be and appear at the next term of this Court, to be held for the county of Perquimans at the Court House in Hertford on the third Monday after the fourth Monday in March, 1858, then and there to plead, answer or demur to the Bill of Complaint of said William Felton, adm'r of Thos. B. Long, filed in the office of the Clerk and Master in Equity for said county, or the said Bill will be taken pro confesso and heard exparte as to him.

Witness, Jos. S. CANNON, Clerk and Master of our said Court of Equity, at office, in Hertford, the third Monday after the fourth Monday in September 1857, and in the 82d year of American Independence.

JOS. S. CANNON,
Cl'k & Master of Equity.
Nov. 3, 1857—6ws. [Pr. adv. $5,62½]

TO PLANTERS AND FARMERS.

THE LODI MANUFACTURING COMPANY, INCOPORATED in 1840, with a capital of $100,000, offer their NEW and IMPROVED POUDRETTE for sale, as the cheapest and best fertilizer for Corn, Cotton, Tobacco and Kitchen Gardens that can be made. It has been used with great success in the Northern States, for seventeen years. It is inodorous, very powerful, and yet can be used without danger in contact with the seed. The night soil of the city of New York, from which this fertilizer is manufactured is well known as the most powerful manure in the world. Price per barrel on board of vessel in New York, $1,50—for seven barrels and over—under that quantity $2,00 per barrel. Terms cash. A pamphlet will be sent gratis and post paid to any applicants.

☞ A trial, however small, is respectfully solicited. Address

LODI MANUFACTURING CO.,
60 Courtland Street,
dec 22—2m. New York.

A RETIRED PHYSICIAN

Whose sands of life have nearly run out, discovered while in the East Indies, a certain cure for Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds and General Debility. The remedy was discovered by him when his only child, a daughter, was given up to die. He had heard much of the wonderful restorative and healing qualities of preparations made from the East India Hemp, and the thought occurred to him that he might make a remedy for his child. He studied hard and succeeded in realizing his wishes. His child was cured, and is now alive and well. He has since administered the wonderful remedy to thousands of sufferers in all parts of the world, and he has never failed in making them completely healthy and happy. Wishing to do as much good as possible, he will send to such of his afflicted fellow-beings as request it, this receipt, with full and explicit directions for making it up, and successfully using it. He requires each applicant to inclose him one shilling—three cents to be returned as postage on the receipe, and the remainder to be applied to the payment of this advertisement.

Address Dr. H. JAMES
No. 19. Grand street, Jersey City, N. J

N. B.—Dr. H. James has neither office nor agent in New York, as some have pretended and advertised. The receipe is sent from NO PLACE but No. 19, Grand street, Jersey City, N. Jersey.

ELIZABETH CITY SEMINARY.

THE TRUSTEES OF THIS INSTITUTION take pleasure in announcing, that they have procured the services of Rev. H. T. WEATHERLY as Principal of the Male and Female Departments. The school will commence on the first Monday in January, 1858.

Every effort will be made by the Principal, with good Assistants, to give satisfaction. No deduction from the time of entrance, except in cases of protracted sickness.

Terms per Session of 21 weeks:

Primary English,	$ 6 00
Ordinary English branches,	8 00
Higher Branches,	10 00
Latin,	15 00

JOHN POOL,
December 15th, 1857—6w. Secretary.

PLOWS.—All farmers who study their interest, know the importance of good plowing. To enable them to accomplish this necessary work, PLOWS take pleasure in imparting the information that I have recently added to my very large stock of Plows 18 entirely new patterns, for one, PLOWS. two and three horses, all of which I warrant to work to the entire satisfaction of all who will give them a trial, and I further guarantee that the castings will wear PLOWS twice as long as those in ordinary use. The largest stock of Plows, Castings, Harrows, Cultivators, PLOWS Devils, Stuffers, &c., on hand to be found in any one house in the United States.

Order remitting the needful, or satisfactory city acceptance, will meet with prompt attention.

fe 10 S. MARCH, Norfolk, Va.

CLOAKS AND SHAWLS,

AT 50 PER CENT. LESS THAN THE USUAL PRICE.

PRINTED and Plaid French Merino, to be sold at reduced prices to close them out. English Merinoes, Alpacas, &c., from 12½ cts. to the best quality.

1½ yard wide Cottons, for 12½ cents per yard.

—ALSO—

A good assortment of all widths at a bargain Call early at the Bee Hive, 33 Main street, Norfolk, Va. JAS. SMIT,
feb 10 Proprietor.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

I HAVE this day (Jan. 8) associated with me in the Upholstering and Paper Hanging business, THEODORE A. WALTERS and WILLIAM BOORN, Jr. The business will be conducted by the Junior partners, under the name of WM. A. WALTERS & CO.

A continuation of the patronage of my former customers, is most respectfully solicited for the new firm. WM. A. WALTERS.
Norfolk, Feb. 10, 1857.

JUST Recived per steamer Roanoke—2 cases of Prints, fast colors, at 8 and 10 cts. worth 12½ cts; at the
jan 5.

THE DEPOT OF
IRON, AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, AND FARMING TOOLS,

IS now being filled with all kinds of Goods in this line, selected recently by one of the proprietors from the largest establishments North and East.

Of IRON, our stock comprises all kinds and sizes suited to the wants of Coachmakers, Blacksmiths, Ship-Builders, and for farm work generally. The quality of it we warrant good. Nails, Spikes, Carriages Springs and Axles, Bolts, &c.

OF IMPLEMENTS,

our stock exceeds any thing ever seen in Virginia, and equals many at the North. We intend to keep everything in the line useful to farmers, and we think that the wants of all can be supplied at short notice. Our arrangements for manufacturing more extensively are nearly completed, and we shall be able to furnish at any majority of Implements of our own make, (warranted of the best materials) at satisfactory prices.

All new machines worthy of notice will be received at the Depot by the EXPRESS LINE, and we desire that the farmers of Virginia and North Carolina shall make the Depot their Headquarters when visiting the city. We ask an examination of our stock, whether in want or not.

☞ We are agents for the 'American Farmer,' published in Baltimore, and will receive subscribers to that valuable Agricultural Journal, issued monthly, at ONE DOLLAR per annum.

BORUM & McLEAN,
Manufacturers and Dealers,
No. 11 Widewater Street,
aug 30 Norfolk, Va

FARMING MACHINES.

I have in store, and am constantly manufacturing, at my works on Nicholson street, all sorts of Farming Tools, among which can be found Horse Powers, Threshers, Fan Mills, Corn Shellers, Straw Cutters, Hominy Mills, Garden Engines, Corn and Cob Crushers, Corn Planters Vegetable Cutters, Road Scrapers, for removing hills, ditch banks, &c. Grain Cradles, Churnse Cauldrons, Chain Pumps, Hog Trough, Sausag, Cutters, and Stuffers; Grind Stones, Ox Yokes, Ox Chains, Tray Barrows, Garden Barrows, Stave Barrows, and wheel Barrows, and best of all, the largest, best assortment, and the very best one, two, three and four horse Plows, to be found in any establishment in the Union.—Harrows, Cultivators, Devils, Shufflers, and every other implement in that line, of every conceivable shape and pattern, all of which I offer on the most pleasing terms. Call and see for yourself, or send your orders to.

SETH MARCH.
Norfolk, July 29, 1856.

CLOAKS, SHAWLS,
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Will be sold out at a tremendious sacrifice prior to removal of the "BEE HIVE" to Johnson's new building. dc 1

DR. WM. G. HANCOCK,

DRUGGIST AND APOTHECARY
EDENTON, N. C.
DEALER IN

Paints, Oils,
Glass, Putty,
Perfumery,
Fancy Articles,
Smoking and
Chewing Tobacco,
Segars and superior

Vines and Liquors for medicinal purposes.

The orders of Physicians and Planters promptly filled with pure Medicines and on as moderate terms as can be had south of Mason's and Dixon's line.

☞ Dr. Hancock's office is at the Drug Store, where he can always be found except when professionally engaged.

June 9, 1857—8ms

NEW SADDLERY AND HARNESS

ESTABLISHMENT IN E. CITY.

THE SUBSCRIBERS WOULD take this method of informing the citizens of Elizabeth City, and surrounding country, that they are prepared to manufacture Saddles, Harness, Mattresses and Sofas. They keep constantly on hand an assortment of ready-made coarse and fine Harness.

Repairing of Harness, Saddles, Trunks, Sofas and Mattresses, done at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms.

☞ Shop at the Stables of Mr. Charles Brothers.

MARTIN BURKE & BRO.
April 5, 1857—1y

REMOVAL.

T. PARR HAVING REMOVED FROM his "old stand" to the front shop of the Coach establishment of Arthur L. Jones, respectfully informs his friends and the public generally, that he is prepared to manufacture any and every article of

FURNITURE.

He will also keep on hand a large assortment of

METALLIC COFFINS,

of all sizes. He will also furnish Mahogany, Walnut or other Coffins to order.

Having a good HEARSE, he is prepared to carry on the UNDERTAKING business in all its branches.

Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, he respectfully solicits a continuance of the same. T. PARR.
Sept. 1, 1857—1y

AUGUST 4, 1857.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS! AT THE BEE HIVE!

ARRIVED this morning, a splendid assortment of White Goods, Cambric Muslins from 12½ to 50cts., Striped Cambrics from 12½ to 62½cts, Plaid Cambrics from 12½ to 37½cts, Nansook and Swiss Muslins in all prices, and very cheap figured Swisses, very rich patterns at half the usual prices—also Embroideries of all kind and qualities at less than cost of importation, going off very cheap.

Umbrellas of our own manufacture, a large supply received suited for rain or sun, Umbrellas, selling cheap—all kinds of Goods sold without regard to cost to close them.

Call soon and be sure to look for the sign of the BEE HIVE.

J. SMITH, 33 Main st.
aug. 4th 1857.

FOR SALE

The subscriber offers for sale, privately, on very accommodating terms, the staunch and strong schooner SARAH ANN, now in excellent sailing order. Apply to Henry Culpepper, or to the subscriber on board

JEROME SIMMONS.
Eliz. City Feb 5, 1856

FOR SALE.

200,000 12 INCH, No 1 heart shingles for sale by
6 ts. WHITE & LAVERTY.
Sentinel copy.

NORTH CAROLINA STATE COUPON Bonds for $1000 each interest payable semi annually, for sale by

MARSHALL PARKS,
Merchants and Mechanics Exchange,

POETRY.

THE GAMBLER'S WIFE.

AS SUNG BY MRS. B. J. RAINEY.

Dark is the night! How dark! no light, no fire!
Cold on the hearth the last faint sparks expire!
Shivering, she watches by the cradle's side,
For him she pledged her love last year a bride.
Hark! 'tis his footsteps; no, no, 'tis gone!
Tick, tick, how wearily the time rolls on.
Why should he leave me? He once was kind,
And I believed 'twould last; how mad, how blind!
Rest thee, my babe, rest on. 'Tis hunger's cry.
Famine and cold their wearing work have done.
Sad, my heart must break; and then my child must die.
Hush! the clock strikes one!

Yet I'll not curse him—no, 'tis all in vain;
'Tis long to wait, yet sure he'll come again.
And I could starve, and bless him for you, my child.
Oh! my husband! oh! my husband!
Can he desert us? for he knows I stay
Night after night in loneliness to pray
For his return; and yet he sees no tear—
No; it cannot be! Oh! he will be here!
Hush! the clock strikes two!

Hark! the signboards creak—the blast howls by—
Moan on, ye winds, through the cloudy sky!
Hark! I hear his knock! he comes once more!
No! 'tis but the lattice flap—my hope, my hope is o'er
Can he desert us? for he knows I stay
Night after night in loneliness to pray
For his return; and yet he sees no tear—
No! it cannot be! Oh! he will be here!
Nestle now closely, my dear one, to my heart;
Thou art cold, thou art freezing, but ye will not, will not part.
Husband! I die! Father! 'tis not he, it is not he!
O, God! protect my child! Oh! protect my child!
Hush! the clock strikes THREE!

They are gone, they are gone; the glimmering spark hath fled!
But wife and child are numbered with the dead!
On the cold hearth outstretched in solemn rest
The babe lay frozen on its mother's breast.
The gambler came at last, but all was o'er,
Dread silence reigned around!
The clock struck FOUR.

MISCELLANEOUS.

SUT LOVENGOOD'S LIZZARDS.

BY S——— L———, OF TENNESSEE.

$8— *Eit Duller Rewarded*

This cash will be paid in korn or projuce tu be colicted at ur sboute nex kamp-metin by enie wun what ketchis him, for the cacus ove wun SUTTY LOVENGOOD ded or alive an safely gin over tu the car ove Passon John Bullin at Squire mack Junkins for raisin ove the devil permiscuisly, di-cumfutin the wimen powerful an a skarin ove folks gineraly at the ratil snaix springs big meetin',

signed by me
attested tu by JOHN BULLIN *the Passon.*
JEHU WETHORTON.

I found written copies of the above highly intelligible and vindictive proclamation stuck up on every blacksmith shop, doggery, and store door in the Frog Mountain range. Its bloodthirsty, vindictive spirit, its style, and, above all, its chirography, interested me to the extent of stealing one from a tree for preservation.

In a few days I found Sut in a good crowd in front of Capehart's small doggery, and as he proved to be about 'in tune,' I read it to him. 'Yes, George, that ar docyimint am in yearnest, sartin. Thay dus want me powerful bad, but I spect eit dullers won't fetch me. I'll go myself, fur fifty, planked down, ef yu'll go long and see me hev justice. Lite, lite, old feller, an let that roan ove yourn blow a little, and I'll splain this cussed afar what hes ruinated my karacter as a pius pusson in the sciety about here. Ye see, I went to last year's big meetin at Ratil Snaix Springs, an wer sittin in a nice shady place conversin with a frien in the buckil berry thicket, when the fust thing I know'd I woke from a trance, what I'd been knocked inter by a four year old hickory stick in the han' of ole Passen Bullin, durn his alligator lookin hide! an' he wur standin a straddle ove me, a foamin at the mouth an a preachin to me about sartin things an my wickedness ginerally. My poor frien wur gone, an I was glad ove it, fur I thot he ment tu kill me with his club ef he failed tu preach me tu deth, an I didn't want her tu see me die.'

'Who was the friend you speak of, Sut?'

'N-u-n-o-v-e-y-o-u-r-b-u-s-s-i-s—durn your little ankshus picter! But I'll tell ye one thing, George, that nite a neibor gall got an orful confounded stroppin from her mam with the stirrup lether ove a saddil, an old Passon Bullin had et supper thar that nite; and what's wus nur all, she cooked it fur im and begged him atrimblin and cryin not tu tell on her, the durne, infernal, hiperkritikal, pot bellied, whiskey-wasting old ground hog; but I paid im fur it all, ef I haint I will. I mean tu keep a payin ove im all the time. Well, at nex big meetin at Ratil Snaix, I was on han, as soloman as a hat kerrier at collection time, fur I had promised the old hog to cum an be converted, jist to keep him from killin me. I tuck a seat on the steps ove the pulpit, to prove I wur in yearnest. Thar was a monstrous crowd in that grove, an ole Bullin wur a preachin tu em as an orful rate—how the Hell Sarpants wud serve em if they didn't repent—how they'd crawl over them, rap thar tails round thar necks, poke thar tungs into thar eyes and blow inter thar years; and ef it wur an ounce, how they'd quile in her busum, and try to crawl down under her frock-string. An he hed em hot, hollerin and scared; the fact is, the thing was a workin powerful. Now I'd ko'ch five big grey pot-bellied lizzards, and hed em in a little narrer bottom poke, and packed as tite as a bundil ove sticks.

'So while he wur a rarin into his tiptoes, onbeknowenst tu anybody, I ontied my poke an put the mouth up under his britches leg, and gin their legs a squeeze an a shake, when they all tuck up his barleg, making ove a nise sorter like squirrils a climbing a shell-bark hickory. He stopped preachin, and looked for a moment like he wur a listin far sunthing, sorter liko an ole sow dus when she hears you whistle for the dogs. I give a big groan, an hilt my hed atween my knees. Then he commenced a slapin ove his self wher ye cut the steak outen a beef, then he'd fetch a rub wher a hosses tail sprouts, then he'd stomp, then run his han atween his wisbup and his shut, and reach down round mitily with it—then he spread his legs and give his back a good shakin, sort ove a rub agin the pulpit sorter like a hog scratches agin a stump; a leaning to his work powerful, and squirming generally tif he'd jist cum outen a dog bed, or had slop on a pisant trail. About this time wun ove my lizzards, (scared and hurt I spose, by all the rubin and scratchin and flappin) poked his hed out atween the passon's shut collar an his old brown neck, tuck a peep at the circumstances, and dodged back again.

'Old Bullin's speech now cum tu him; his eyes stickin out like two buckeyes flung agin a mud wall, and his voice tremblin.—Sez he, 'Brutherin, take ke r ove versefs, the Hell Sarpints hev got *me!*' Sum ove the wimmin fotch a painter yell, an a ramrod leged docter what sot near me allowed it wur a clar case ove Delicious Tremenjus, an I thot he wur rite, fur it *was* tremenjus afore it was done with. Off went the claw-hammer coat, an he flung it ahind him like he wur a gwine inter a fite, (he had no jackit on.) Nex he fotch his shut over his hed faster nur I got outen my pasted wun, an he flung hit up in the air like he didn't care a durn if hit kept up forever, but hit lodged onto a black jack. I seed wun ove my lizzards a racin about over the big old dirty looking shut, skared like the devil. Then he gin a sorter shake an a twist, and he cum outen his britches, and tuk em by the bottom of the legs and swung em round his hed a few times and then fotch em down cherallup over the frunt ove the pulpit. You cud've hearn the smash a quarter ove a mile! Nixt onto about fifteen shortened biskit, a briled chicken with his legs crossed, a big dubil bladed knife, a slab ove terbacker, a pipe, some copper ore speciments, a heep of brakin' glass, a cork, a sprinkle ove whiskey, a squt an three ove my lizzards, flew permiskusly all over that ar meetin ground, outen the upper ind ove them big flax britches. Wun ove the smartest ove my blue lizzards lit hed fust into the bussum ove a fat oman, as big as a skinn'd hoss, an nigh onto as ugly, who sot thirty yards off a fannin herself with a tucky tail, an, smart tu the last, hit commenced runnin down.

'So she wur bound to faint, an did it fust rate; jist fling her tucky tail up in the air, rolled down the hill, tangled her legs an garters in the top uv a huckilberry bush, an war thar all safe, fair an quiet when I left.

'How old Bullin had purhis left on him but a par of hevy low-quartered shoes, short woolin socks, an eel skin garters to keep off the cramp, and his skare wur a growin on him fast. He wur plump crazy, fur he jist spit in his hands an leaped over the frunt uv the pulpit rite inter the middle uv the piss part uv the kongregation *kerdiff*, an sot in tu gittin away. He run, or rether went in a lumberin gallop, hevy, like an old wagon hoss skared at a locomotive. When he jumped a bench he shook the yearth an his sef to. Bonnets an fans clared the way, an he hed a purfectly far track tu the woods. He weighed nigh onto three hundred, hed a black stripe down his back like onto an old bridle rein, an his belly looked about the size an cullur uv a beef paunch, and hit a shaken from side to side. He leaned back from it like a little feller totin uv a big drum at muster, an I hearn it slosh plum to wher I wur.—Thar wur cramp knots on his legs as big as warnuts, all over he minded me uv a crazy ole elephant whar wur possessed by the devil, with hits years, snout, an tushes sawed off, an rared up an a gwine on his hind legs away from emediate trubble an tribulation. He did the loudest an scariest and fussiest runnin I ever seed since dad raced with the horuets, to be no faster than it wur.

'Well, he disappeared in the thicket, and ove all the fusses ye ever hearn it wur thar in a sirkle ov two hundred feet or thar about: sum wimen screamin—they was the skery wuns; sum larfin—they wus the wicked wuns; sum cryin—they wus the fool ones, (sorter ove the Lovengood stripe;) sum tryin tu get away ur hide thar faces—they was the modest wuns; sum lookin arter old Bullin—they was the curious wuns; sum hagin tu thar bows—they wus the sweet wuns; sum on thar knees with their eyes shot, but thar faces turned the way the old mudturkil was a runnin—they wus the deceitful wuns; sum doin nuthin—they wus the waitin wuns, and the most danjerous ove all ove em by a durnid long sites. I tuck a big skeer myself, arter a bibil about as big as a brick, a discipline, an a book called a kataplasm, a few rocks, and sich like fruit spattered on the pulpit ni onto my hed, an as the Lovengoods, durn em, knows nothin but tu run when they git skared, I jist put towards the swamp on the krick. As I started a black bottle of baldface smashed agin a tree forninst me. Sum durn fool perfesor dun this, who had more seal than sence; fur I say *that any* man who'd wast a *quart* ove good whiskey fur the chance of knockin a poor devil like me down with it, if the bottil *was* purtil nuthin, isn't as smart as old squire Mackmullin, an *he* shot hisself with a hoe-handil, and hit warnt loaded at that. Well, you know, George, I orter run fast—jist look at these legs—I used em sum atween that meetin grown an the swamp, and they haint kotch me yet.

'Ole Barbelly Bullin, (as they call him) since his tribulation with the hell sarpints, haint preached but wunst; and then he hadn't all omit to hear im. His text wus, 'Nakid I cum into this wurld an I'm agwine outen it the same way *ef* I'm spared till then.' I'm told 'twar a powerful sarmint—it was hearn three miles. He proved that nakedness warnt much arter all ef you ake the rite view ove the thing—that hell sarpints ove all sizes was skeery, cold, and trubilsum—that it warnt tu be expected ove him, a poor, week frail wurm ove the dust, to be sarpint or lizzard proof either—that wun small sarpint of the tribe ove milxizidick ruinated the wurld through an oman—while he wur beset with a barril full ove em. An sixteenthly an finally that Sutty Lovengood is the biggest riskil, fool, and scare-crow ever hatched in the mountain range.

'Now, George, that all may be so; but I want you tu tell old Grownhog this for me—*ef* he'll let me alone I'll let him alone; and *ef* he don't ef I don't lizzard him agin I wish I may be turned inter a poultice. Lets go to the spring and mix a little ove it with this yere whiskey (shaking his flask) afore you start. Mind, tell ole Barbelly what I sed about anuther big sheet, with—say a peck, ur a peck und a half ove lizzards—*try an skeer him ef you kin.*—Good bye.

AN EXECUTION IN INDIA—HORRIBLE SCENES.

An India correspondent of the London Times gives the following graphic and horrible account of a public execution of eighteen insurgents at Ahmedabad, October 26:

'Ten of them mounted to their places on the drop; a firing party of twelve moved up to within twenty yards of the place where I stood facing outwards, as the guns did, but behind them, further back into the square. The men who were to be shot were placed in front, not more that twelve paces from the muzzles of the muskets.—They knelt down, their eyes bandaged and their hands tied. Meanwhile five had been marched to the five fatal guns. They were bound by their arms to the wheels, but their legs were free, and the end man—the only one whom I could entirely see from my place on the flank—leaned his back against the muzzle. I fixed my eyes intently on that man, not fifty yards away, and in a moment the signal was given.—There was a roar, a bank of white smoke, and a jet and shower of black fragments, sharp and clear, which leaped and bounded in the air; this, and a fearful sound from the spectators, as if the reality so far exceeded all previous fancy that it was intolerable; then a dead stillness.

'I walked to the scattered and smoking floor before the guns. I came first to an arm, torn off above the elbow, the fist clinched, the bones protruding several inches, bare. Then the ground strewn with red grisly fragments, then a black-haired head and the other arm still held together. This was the man I had watched. Close by lay the lower half of the body of the next, torn quite in two, and long coils of entrails twined on the ground. Then a long cloth in which one had been dressed rolled open like a floor cloth, and on fire. One man lay in a complete and shattered heap, all but the arms; the legs were straddled wide apart, and the smashed body on the middle of them; the spine exposed; the head lay close, by, too. The last body was that of a native officer, who was the arch fiend of the mutiny. He was a short man, with a cruel face. His head had been cut clean off; his face was half upturned, and calm; the eyes shut. I saw no expression of pain on any of them.—What had been his body lay on its face, the legs, as usual, not shattered but all the flesh torn like cloth from a sharp angle in the hollow of the back, off and off, till it merged in one mangled heap.

'I turned to the three who had been shot. One had been struck in the heart, and only bowed slowly over on his face. The others had been pistoled afterwards through the head. All, I think, however, had been badly hit, as all were prostrate when I ran forward to the guns. And only now—there was so much more terrible—did I look up to the ten white figures slowly swinging and revolving over this scene of blood. I hope they died quickly, but the ropes were very short.'

TREATMENT OF SAILORS.

How the sailor is sometimes treated may be learned from the following extract from the Rev. Mr. Taylor's 'Seven Years' Preaching in San Francisco.' This book gives some graphic descriptions of the wrongs perpetrated on the sailor:

When the sailor's bill at the boarding house runs up to cover the 'advance,' the landlord says to him, 'Jack, you must ship.'

'I won't do it,' says Jack.

'You shall do it; you owe me a hundred dollars, and you must either pay me to day or go to sea in the ship Challenge.'

'O, I don't want to go to sea yet,' says Jack.

'O, well, never mind,' says the landlord; 'you're a clever fellow, and you may stay at my house as long as you please, and pay me when you get ready. Come, let's take a drink.'

Jack, very glad to be on such good terms with the landlord, walks up to the bar, and drinks to the health of his master. In ten minutes he is as insensible as a log. When he recovers from his mysterious sleep he is out of sight of land. He is awakened by a stern command,

'Wake up here and go to work.'

The poor fellow, rubbing his eyes, inquires:

'What ship is this? Whither bound?'

'Hong Kong.'

'How did I get here?'

'Why, you shipped, sir?' says the master.

'I never shipped in this ship.'

'Yes you did, sir, and you must go to work without any more grumbling,' replies the captain, sternly.

'I want to see the articles,' says the sailor.

'Well sir, here they are. What is your name?'

'My name is John Waters.'

'There it is, written on the articles in two places, once by the landlord, and once by the shipping master.'

'I never signed those articles,' replies John.

'No,' replies the master, 'you were too drunk to write your name, but there's your mark.'

John puts his hand to his head and studies a moment, and says: 'I want my advance before I go to work; how much was I to get?'

'One hundred and twenty-five dollars for the run, paid in advance,' replied the captain, 'and here's your account from the shipping office; your bill with the boarding master took one hundred dollars, leaving me twenty-five, which he handed me to give you when you got sober.'

John takes the twenty-five dollars and goes to work. But you ask, what did the land-shark give to the sailor to take away his senses so suddenly?

It was a compound of whiskey, brandy, gin, rum and opium, which, if a man drinks, he sinks into the leathern stream for a dozen of hour.

But the kidnappers practice not alone on seamen. Here is a case from the same volume:

A landlord, lacking a man to make up a crew, met a German glazier on Long Wharf, with a pack of glass on his back, and said to him:

'Hie, my good fellow, don't you want a job?'

'Yes, sir.'

'I want you,' said the shark, 'to put some glass in the stern of that ship,' pointing to a ship in the stream. 'Jump in to my boat here and I'll take you on board.'

So off they went. As the German sat in the stern of the boat, much pleased with the prospect of a good job, the shark said to him: 'will you have a cigar, sir?'

'Yes.'

So the glazier sat and puffed away as he used to do in his Faderland, but before they reached the ship he tumbled over in the bottom of the boat. The shark threw his pack of glass into the bay, and running alongside, hailed—'On deck there! lower away and haul up this man.' A rope was lashed around him and he was hauled up. The shark ran into the captain's office, saying, 'Captain, I've got a first rate sailor here; he's a little boozy to-day, but he'll be all right to-morrow;' and got his advance. The poor German waked up at sea, with a longer job than he had engaged for, and the worst of the business, he must not only work for nothing, but be kicked and cuffed through the whole voyage for having the presumption to impose himself as an able seaman, when he knew nothing about the business. The cigar was drugged.

On one occasion a shoemaker stepped into the bar to take a drink, and waked up the next day at sea, and did not get back to his business for nine months.

NO GLOOM AT HOME.

Above all things there should be no gloom in the home. The shadows of dark discontent and wasting fretfulness should never cross the threshold, throwing their large black shapes, like funeral palls, over the happy young spirits there. If you will, your home shall be heaven, and every infinite as an angel there. If you will, you shall sit on a throne and be the presiding household deity. O! faithful wife, what privileges, what treasures, greater or purer than thine?

And let the husband strive to forget his care as he winds around the long, narrow street, and beholds the soft light illuminate his little parlor, spreading its precious beams on the red pave before it. The night is cold and cheerless, perhaps, and the December gust battles with the worn skirts of his overcoat, and snatches with a rude hand and wailing cry at the rusty hat that has served him many a year. He has borne with many a cruel tone, many a cold word, and nerved himself up to energy so desperate that his frame and spirit are weakened and depressed; and now his limbs ache with weariness; his temples throb with the pain beat caused by too constant application; he scarcely knows how to meet his wife with a pleasant smile, or sit down cheerfully to their little meal which she has provided with so much care.

But the door is opened, the overcoat thrown off. A sweet voice falls upon his ear; like a winged angel, it flies right into his bosom, and nestles against his love.

The latch is lifted and the smiling face of his wife gives an earnest welcome. The shining hair is smoothed over her fair brow; indeed she stole a little coquetish glance at the mirror hanging in its narrow frame just to see if she looked neat and pretty before she came out. Her eye beams with love, her dress is tasteful—and—what? Why! he forgets all the trials of that long, long day, as he folds her in his arms and imprints a kiss upon her brow.

A home where gloom is banished, presided over by one who has learned to rule herself and her household, Christianity—oh! he is thrice consoled for all his trials. He cannot be unhappy, that sweetest, best, dearest solace is his—a cheerful home.—Do you wonder that the man is strengthened anew for to-morrow's cares?

A country youth came into town to see his intended wife, and for a long time could think of nothing to say. At last, a great snow falling, he took the occasion to say that his father's sheep would be all undone.

Well, said she, taking him by the hand, I will keep one of

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NOTICE.

HAVING purchased the entire interest of E. R. Quillin, in the *Democratic Pioneer*, the publishing department of the paper will hereafter be conducted by us. We solicit the patronage of the public, giving the assurance that all orders for printing of any description, entrusted to us, shall be executed with neatness and despatch.

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☞ The Norfolk Argus has furnished itself with a large cylinder press capable of turning off six thousand impressions per hour. The last number is as trim and tidy as one could wish.

☞ Godey, for February, is thus early upon our table. It is a choice number, and marked by the continually increasing enterprise and skill of the indefatigable publishers.

☞ Mr. Keiley has withdrawn from all connection with the Petersburg "South-Side Democrat," on account of a difference of opinion between him and his associate, A. D. Banks.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

We publish to-day the message of Mr. Buchanan accompanying the papers relating to Walker and Paulding, called for by Congress a few days back. This document has produced a protracted and excited debate in both Houses of Congress, which threatens to be continued for some time to come. The President thinks that Paulding has committed "a grave error," but that his conduct was influenced by high and patriotic motives. He is firm in his opposition to the schemes of the filibusters, and suggests that they are calculated to retard the spread of American principles and American institutions.—However this may be, and from it we are not disposed to dissent, we regret that the President should have, after acknowledging a violation of instructions by Paulding, have dealt with the case so leniently. If Paulding committed "a grave error," it certainly merits something more than a passing word of disapprobation. The reprimand should be commensurate with the offence, and as the President admits it to be a "grave" one, some distinct and emphatic mark of executive condemnation ought to follow.

THE MAIL—A WRONG THAT SHOULD BE RIGHTED.

"Forbearance" sometimes "ceases to be a virtue," and men may endure wrong until to endure it longer would be worthy of severe censure. It is thus with the citizens of E. City in regard to the mail via Norfolk. They have submitted so long to the inconvenience attending the lateness of the hour for the arrival of the mail, that it can be nothing less than rank injustice to themselves not to seek a remedy. The distance between Norfolk and E. City is only forty-five miles, and though the Baltimore boat with the mail reaches the former place somewhere between the hours of 6 and 8 o'clock in the morning, the stage does not arrive here until about 8 o'clock at night. The mail at this office closes at 9 o'clock, P. M. It requires from thirty to forty-five minutes to open the mail, so that persons receiving letters to be answered the same night have only from ten to fifteen minutes to do it in.—Now what is the cause of this delay in the arrival of the mail? From the best authority we answer that the cause lies with the Norfolk Post Office.

The law says, "That a post master or his assistants shall always be in readiness to receive the mail, and *dispatch it with all possible expedition.*"

Again, "That if no special order upon the subject has been made in regard to his office, he is allowed *seven minutes only* to change the mail."

Is the first law complied with by the Norfolk Postmaster? The mail arrives by the Bay boat, and instead of the mail matter for the Edenton mail route being selected and "dispatched with all possible expedition," it is as we are positively informed, retained in the office until after the opening and assorting of the letters and papers intended for the people of Norfolk, and when the office is opened for the delivery of the latter, the carrier on the Edenton route then receives his mail bag. If there is no "special order" for this proceeding, it is a clear violation of post office regulation, and should be remedied. Is there a "special order" for the Norfolk City office? There may be, and we think probably is, so as to extend the time for changing the mail over "*seven minutes*," but we cannot think that any "special order" would be given by the Department requiring the assortment of so large a mail as belongs to Norfolk before the dispatching the mail for another place, for which the carrier is waiting, and who has a specified time to reach the end of his route. If such special order exists, we hope it may be known, and that our citizens will represent the inconvenience to which they are subject, to the Department, and endeavor to have the time extended.

LETTER OF GOV. WISE.

Among the *Democrats* of the South there is but one sentiment entertained in regard to the recent letter of Gov. Wise to the Tammany Committee upon Kansas affairs; that sentiment is one of undisguised mortification and disappointment. Wherever this last epistle of his Excellency has been read in the South, it has been received with an outburst of popular indignation. The press has spoken freely, and in justly harsh terms, of this fire-brand, and characterized it as it deserves. The most intimate and devoted friends of the Governor have not only failed to venture an approving word or to offer an excuse for his course, but they have been forced to join in the general expression of censure and condemnation. There can be no excuse for such an unparalleled disregard of all the obligations that belong to the character, influence, and position of Gov. Wise. At a moment like the present, when the country is convulsed to its centre; when designing men are seeking to still farther agitate the turbulent elements; when the true and trusty of the land are striving to allay the strife and give peace and quiet to the country; when the President has nobly and boldly assumed a position, the only true one, for the adjustment of the question in issue, and for it has encountered a fierce and bitter storm of denunciation and abuse from the combined phalanx of freesoilism and abolitionism, for a Southern governor to come forward and *volunteer* opinions and doctrines directly antagonistic to the interests, feelings and wishes of his section; diametrically opposed to every dictate of propriety and prudence; thoroughly calculated to prevent the consummation of a peaceful settlement of the controversy; and in consonance with the pleas and arguments advanced by "freedom shriekers" and Black Republican agitators, is an outrage for which the English vocabulary fails to furnish language of sufficient strength to apply to it. Governor Wise argues against the views contained in the message of Mr. Buchanan, and sustains Mr. Douglas As we have said, the South has received this enunciation of the sentiments of the Virginia governor with undissembled pain, regret, and chagrin, but how different has been its reception among the enemies and opposers of the President; with what shouts of exultation and joy has it been hailed by the abolition press; what a howl of fiendish gratification has gone up from the ranks of Black Republicanism. It is equal to a twelve months' supply of food and ammunition to a beseiged and starving fortress. Whatever Wise says, is said well and said forcibly, and that this is so in the present case adds but poignancy to the pang which his effort has produced.—It is a weapon in the hands of our enemies that they will use effectually. That we speak the truth, let the following extract from the New York Times, attest. Surely Gov. Wise must feel complimented by the high encomiums of Black Republican newspapers:—

From the New York Times (Seward Organ).

Governor Wise's letter on the Kansas question *is a perfect bombshell thrown into the ranks of the Democratic party.*—It is the boldest and manliest demonstration made in politics for a long time. Taken in connection with the letter of Governor Walker, the speech of Senator Douglas, the declaration of the Democratic party in Ohio and Indiana and the general sentiments of the Democratic masses throughout the North and West, *it will certainly give the coup de grace to the Lecompton movement.* Gov. Wise's action on the subject excites the more astonishment and is the more creditable to him, because he is intensely Southern in his feelings, a zealous champion of slavery, and is quite as ready as any of the Southern fire-eaters to take the boldest steps which the advancement of Southern interests may require. His letter will be the rallying point for the high-toned, honest national Democrats of the Southern States. It will be bitterly denounced by the Richmond "South," the Charleston "Mercury," and the New Orleans "Delta"—and will fix an impassable gulf between Mr. Wise and the Pro-Slavery Disunionists whose project it thwarts. But it will give him a very strong hold upon the Democracy of the North and a commanding influence in his party in his own State.

LECTURE OF REV. MR. BOGGS.

The lecture of this gentleman on last Tuesday night before the Relief Club, was an able, entertaining, and instructive effort. The subject which the Rev. gentleman selected—Self-culture—was an appropriate one and furnished a wide field for the play of his cultivated and well stored mind. That he used to effect the extended range which his theme afforded him, will be acknowledged by all who had the pleasure of listening to his lecture. We regret there were so few to bear witness to the truth of what we say. The small audience was too strong an evidence of the want of a proper appreciation of intellectual entertainments among our people. We would be glad to have the lecture repeated, satisfied as we are that it would well bear a repetition.

NORTH CAROLINA CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE.

The advertisement of the Editor of the Advocate—Rev. R. T. Heflin—which we insert to-day, gives notice that the third volume of that paper begins with the year 1858. The "Advocate" is the organ of the N. C. Conference, and an able expounder of the doctrines of the M. E. Church. Our Methodist friends will find it an agreeable and instructive companion.

VICTORIA'S CHILDREN.—The Queens children are rapidly growing up. The Princess Royal, who is about to be married, is now aged 17; the Prince of Wales is 16; the Princess Alice, whose hand is to be demanded in marriage by the Prince of Orange, is 14; and the Prince Alfred, whose residence at Alverbank his mamma graciously visited, is 13. Besides these four eldest the family includes Helena, 11, Louisa, 9; Arthur, 7; and Leopold, 4.

LIGHT BAGGAGE.—A Washington correspondent says:

Mr. Banks will leave on Saturday, I learn, for Waltham, carrying with him the

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

A meeting of the Democratic State Executive Committee was held in this City on Friday last, the 8th of January, present, William W. Holden, of Wake, Chairman; William K. Lane, of Wayne; Jas. H. White, of Gaston; R. S. French, of Robeson; R. P. Waring, of Mecklenburg; and James Fulton, of New Hanover.

On motion, Mr. Fulton was appointed Secretary to the Committee.

Upon consultation, and after a full and free interchange of views, it was determined to hold the next Democratic State Convention for the State of North Carolina, in the town of Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, on Wednesday, the 14th of April, being the second Wednesday in the month.

By the above, from the Raleigh Standard, it will be seen that the State Committee in the abundance of its *superior wisdom* have selected Charlotte as the place for holding the next Democratic State Convention.

The object of this move is too evident to deceive the most careless observer of public affairs. Charlotte, almost in the extreme West, is preferred to the capital of the State, where, as the most central point, the Democracy have usually gathered to consult together. Without regard to the inconvenience, time, or expense, which delegates from the East would be liable to in attending the Convention, the Committee, as we believe, for the accomplishment of a particular object, have determined upon a point to which we *must* go if we would have a voice in choosing a candidate for our suffrages; and that point so far West as to *effectually* prevent Eastern members from being present. There was no earthly necessity for the change. Raleigh was about equi-distant from all sections. The facilities for reaching it are as good to one portion of the State as another; and the accommodations certainly as extensive as those of Charlotte. The selection could only have had its origin in political considerations, and to advance the claims of some particular aspirant. The East conceded the honor of furnishing the next Gubernatorial candidate to the West, and thus to be virtually debarred the privilege of attending the Convention cat neither be palliated or excused. For ourself, we enter a solemn protest against the action of the Committee A large number of eastern counties will most certainly be unrepresented; delegates will not be dragged so far from home at the bidding of a few men invested with a power which they have abused. They will not incur the additional expense, inconvenience, and loss of time without better reasons for the change than has yet been given. Eastern men are as devoted to Democratic principles as their brethren of the West, but it is too much to expect of them the sacrifice that is here required upon the ground of a "compliment" to the West. Something more worthy of consideration must be urged in justification of the decision of the Committee before the East can consent to abide its mandate. We suppose the *fiat* is irrevokable. The Convention will assemble in Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, about one hundred and fifty members from the city of Raleigh and bordering upon the extreme West, and if Eastern men will have a word as to who shall be their standard-bearer, they *must* go there. Let the Convention assemble, say we. The West can have it all their own way so far as the SELECTION of a candidate is concerned. The voting is another matter, and we would warn the wire pullers to be careful. The East can be led, but it can not be driven. There is a wheel within a wheel, but both may be rendered useless by too much pressure. Let us suggest that the next convention be held in Cherokee.

From the Baltimore Patriot.

THIRTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 13.—HOUSE.—The House went into the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union in the President's annual message.

Mr. Curtis argued that from the earliest period of our national history until now, the Government has interposed in various means to restrain our citizens from fitting out hostile expeditions against nations with which we are at peace. The operations of Walker afforded evidence of the necessity for the application of the neutrality laws.

He adverted to the enormous expenses of keeping the various routes across the Isthmus open. The routes were too long and distant, and the country too sickly to be of permanent advantage. To reach the Pacific, a direct line should be taken across our own Territory. It was very wrong for the government to go into filibustering opperations. This has been its policy for years past, and it has too long worked at private filibustering.

An examination of the documents submitted by the President, show that Com. Paulding, has, like a true and honest sailor, carried out his instructions. It was not his duty to expound the law.

Mr. Clay said this was the first time he had the privilege to address the Legislative assembly of the country, and he was gratified in now rising to sustain what he believed to be law and order.

They had seen the remarkable spectacle of an administration apparently unsupported by its own friends—and in the reception of every message from the President, opportunities had been taken to assail and pick at him. He acquiesced in every word the President had written on the Central America question.

It was necessary that instructions should be issued for intercepting Walker's expedition, and to restrain our citizens from acts violative of the neutrality laws. Walker was brought home with the view of saving his neck, and for that he should be grateful.

He broke not only international law, but the statute law. He escaped from this country under false colors, and Mr. Clay maintained that it was not only in the pow-

send for Walker over the high seas and bring him back. He thought that Com. Paulding had committed a grave error, and that this remark by the President was a sufficient censure on the conduct of that officer.

SENATE.—Mr. Doolittle introduced a joint resolution directing the presentation of a medal to Commodore Paulding for his conduct in arresting Walker and his followers.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—HOUSE.—The House went into Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union in the President's annual message.

Mr. Stephens explained and defended his views heretofore expressed. He affirmed and challenged contradiction, when he said that under the neutrality laws, as they now stand, owing to their imperfect phrascology, the President cannot at all use the army or navy. It was only by construction or interpolation he could do so, and all doubt should be removed by legislation respecting these laws. He argued that there was no power in the United States to prevent American citizens from quitting this country and joining the enemy, or to punish them.

SENATE.—On motion of Mr. Bell, a resolution was adopted requesting the Secretary of the Interior to communicate an estimate of the quantity of land which will inure under the act of March, 1857, granting land to Minnesota for railroad purposes.

On motion of Mr. Davis, a resolution was adopted calling on the Secretary of War for a report of the Commission on War Claims in Oregon and Washington Territories.

Mr. Houston gave notice of his intention to introduce a bill to provide for the admission of Kansas into the Union as a State.

The joint resolution directing the presentation of a gold medal to Com. Paulding was made the special order for Wednesday next.

NEW YORK, Jan. 14.—The steamer Star of the West from Aspinwall, with California dates to the 10th ulto., arrived here last night.

THE SURRENDER OF ANDERSON.

We are unable to learn the particulars of the surrender of Anderson and his men, but a messager states that Commander Paulding sent several boats up the river to fort Castello and commanded Anderson to surrender. Before surrendering Anderson sunk the lake steamer, blew up the fort and destroyed his ammunition.

Another statement is that Anderson was taken by the marines from the steamer Susquehanna with Capt. Sands at their head.

The Nicaraguans held Fort San Carlos and the river steamers, Costa Rica having withdrawn her pretensions, the territory was claimed by Nicaragua.

A street affray had occurred at Sacramento between Mr. Summer, in relation to the Senatorial contest, and Mr. Shipley, the editor. Mr. Sumner was badly beaten.

The Government of Chili has made concessions to the people, and further fears of a revolution had ceased.

The Peruvian authorities had committed another outrage against the United States, having taken a sailor from an American ship and lashed him in a buoy for striking a Coolie.

The Captain protested to the Peruvian commander, who instantly replied that if he did not mind his business he would be put in the sailors place. The American minister was investigating the affair.

The Aspinwall correspondent of the Times says that Nicaragua and Costa Rica have settled their differences and they jointly despatched 500 men against Anderson, who proposed to surrender to Capt Sands.

The latter sent a force up the river and met Anderson's force on the steamer Ogden, capturing them without resistance.—M. Cox, J. T. Greeo, Baltimore, H. W. Summerford, of Georgia, W. A. Johnson, of North Carolina, and W. H. Taylor, of Lynchburg, are among the filibusters on the steamer Wabash.

WHIG PARTY.

Not having heard anything of late from our *quondam* friend, the whig party, we had yielded to the conviction that it had given up the ghost and received a decent interment. Our surprise may be imagined, then, in observing in the columns of the New York Express of a recent date a paragraph with the once familiar heading of 'Whig General Committee of 1858.'—We read it, and behold it proved to an announcement, on behalf of the "*Democratic* Whig General Committee of 1857,' of the election of their successors, the Whig General Committee of 1858.' Almost anything is to be preferred to the modern black republicans, and we should be quite as well pleased to contend with a whig party as with an opposition such as now exists. Yet, before admitting its claims to be recognised as the Simon Pure whig party, its friends must satisfy us that its descent is entirely honorable. According to our information, the *democratic* whig party was the offspring of the whig party: we now see that the whig party is the immediate descendant and successor of the *democratic* whig party; the child has become the parent of the fathers It may be all right according to the law. political descent, but, at first blush, it appears to be a strange case, and we call upon its sponsors to vindicate its claims to recognition.—*Union*.

CHARLES SUMNER.

"Ixion," the Washington correspondent of the Richmond *South* touches up the Massachusetts Senator in the following manner:—

But one figurhead in the chamber arrests attention in the picture we have here of the plain-looking, substantial, better order of American politicians. It is that of a large, tall Senator, who sits near the maine entrance. His picture is one of the most inimitable conceit, with his head raised, his eyes elevated and resting on a pleasant vacancy, his body turned superciliously away from the neighboring Senators, and without even the least sign of attention to betray his consideration for anything that is passing around him. This huge coxcomb, hair so tenderly parted, and his big, white hands so constantly engaged in stroking himself, still smiling and talking to the lickspittles that surround him, is that pampered, kenmarked hound, CHARLES SUMNER. An application to the hide would take out the lofty airs of martyrdom he affects; it would purge the conceit immediately. It is a fair bet for any one to take, that at the first stroke of the lash the hound would take refuge under his desk, and lay there yelping for mercy.

MESSAGE OF THE PRESIDENT IN RELATION TO THE LATE ARREST OF GEN. WALKER.

In response to a call of the Senate, the President on Thursday transmitted to that body the correspondence in his possession, in relation to the late arrest of Gen. Walker, and accompanied it with the following message:

MESSAGE.

In submitting to the Senate the papers for which they have called, I deem it proper to make a few observations.

In capturing General Walker and his command, after they had landed on the soil of Nicaragua, Commodore Paulding has, in my opinion, committed a grave error. It is quite evident, however, from the communication herewith transmitted that this was done from pure and patriotic motives, and in the sincere conviction that he was promoting the interests and vindicating the honor of his country. In regard to Nicaragua, she has sustained no injury by the act of Commodore Paulding. This has inured to her benefit, and relieved her from a dreaded invasion. She alone would have any right to complain of the violation of her territory; and it is quite certain she will never exercise this right. It unquestionably does not lie in the mouth of her invaders to complain in her name that she has been rescued by Comodore Paulding from their assaults.—The error of this gallant officer consists in exceeding his instructions, and landing his sailors and marines in Nicaragua, whether with or without her consent, for the purpose of making war upon any military force whatever, which he might find in the country, no matter from whence they came. This power certainly did not belong to him. Obedience to law and conformity to instructions are the best and safest guides for all officers, civil and military, and when they transcend these limits, and act upon their own personal responsibility, evil consequences almost inevitably follow.

Under these circumstances, when Marshall Rynders presented himself at the State Department on the 29th ultimo, with General Walker in custody, the Secretary informed him that the executive department of the Government did not recognize General Walker as a prisoner; that it had no directions to give concerning him; and that it is only through the action of the judiciary that he could be lawfully held in custody to answer any charge that might be brought against him.

In thus far disapproving the conduct of Commodore Paulding no inference must be drawn that I am less determined than I ever have been to execute the neutrality law of the United States. This is my imperative duty; and I shall continue to perform it by all the means which the Constitution and the laws have placed in my power.

My opinion of the value and importance of these laws corresponds entirely with that expressed by Mr. Monroe, in his message to Congress of December 7, 1819. That wise, prudent, and patriotic statesmen say: 'It is of the highest importance to our national character and indespensable to the morality of our citizens that all violations of our neutrality should be prevented.—No door should be left open for the envasion of our laws, no opportunity afforded to any who may be disposed to take advantage of it to compromit the interest or the honor of the nation'

The crime of setting on foot or providing the means for military expeditions within the United States to make war against a foreign State with which we are at peace, is one of an aggravated and dangerious character, and early engaged the attention of Congress. Whether the executive Government possesses any, or what power, under the Constitution, independently of Congress, to prevent or punish this and similar offenses against the law of nations, was a subject which engaged the attention of our most eminent statesmen in the time of the Administration of General Washington, and on the occasion of the French revolution. The act of Congress of the 5th of June, 1794, fortunately removed all the difficulties on this question which had heretofore existed. The fifth and seventh sections of this act, which relate to the present question, are the same in substance with the sixth and eighth sections of the act of April 20, 1818, and have now been in force for a period of more than sixty years.

The military expedition rendered criminal by the act must have its origin, must 'begin,' or be 'set on foot,' in the United States; but the great object of the law was to save foreign States with whom we were at peace from the ravages of these lawless expeditions proceeding from our shores.—The seventh section alone, therefore, which simply defines the crime and its punishment, would have been inadequate to accomplish this purpose and enforce our international duties. In order to render the law effectual, it was necessary to prevent 'the carrying on' of such expeditions to their consummation after they had succeed in leaving our shores.

This has been done effectually, and in clear and explicit language, by the authority given to the President under the eighth section of the act to employ the land and naval forces of the United States 'for the purpose of preventing the carrying on of any such expedition or enterprise from the territories or jurisdiction of the United States against the territories or domain of any foreign prince or State, or of any colony, district, or people with whom the United States are at peace.'

For these ressons, had Commodore Paulding intercepted the steamer 'Fashion,' with General Walker and his command on board, at any period before they entered the port of San Juan de Nicaragua, and conducted them back to Mobile, this would have prevented them from carrying on the expedition, and have been not only a justifiable but a praisworthy act.

The crime well deserves the severe punishment inflicted upon it by our laws. It violates the principles of Christianity, morality, and humanity, held sacred by all civilized nations, and by none more than by the people of the United States. Disguise it as we may, such a military expedition is an invitation to reckless and lawless men to enlist under the banner of any adventurer to rob, plunder and murder the unoffending citizens of neighboring States who have never done them harm. It is a usurpation of the war-making power, which belongs alone to Congress; and the Government itself, at least in the estimation of the world, becomes an accomplice in the commission of this crime, unless it adopts all the means necessary to prevent and to punish it. It would be far better, and more in accordance with the bold and manly character of our country-

men, for the Government itself to get up such expeditions than to allow to proceed under the command of irresponsible adventurers. We could then at least exercise some control over our own agents, and prevent them from burning down cities and committing others acts of enormity of which we have read.

The avowed principle which lies at the foundation of the law of nations is contained in the Divine command that 'All things whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them.' Tried by this unerring rule, we should be severely condemned if we shall not use our best exertions to arrest such expeditions against our feeble sister Republic of Nicaragua. One thing is very certain, that people never existed who would call any other nation to a stricter account than we should ourselves, for tolerating lawless expeditions from their shores to make war upon any portion of our territories.

By tolerating such expeditions, we shall soon loose the high character which we have enjoyed ever since the days of Washington, for the faithful performance of our international obligations and duties, and inspire disgust against us among the members of the great family of civilized nations.

But if motives of duty were not sufficient to restrain us from engaging in such lawless enterprises, our evident interest ought to dictate this policy. These expeditions are the most effectual mode of retarding American progress; although to promote this is the avowed object of the leaders and contributors in such undertakings.

It is beyond question the destiny of our race to spread themselves over the continent of North America, and this at no distant day, should events be permitted to take their natural course. The tide of emigration will flow to the South, and nothing can eventually arrest its progress. If permitted to go there, peacefull, Central America will soon contain an American population, which will conferr blessings and benefits as well upon the natives as their respective Governments. Liberty, under the restraint of law, will preserve domestic peace, while the different transit waters across the isthmus, in which we are so deeply interested, will have assured protection.

Nothing has retarded this happy condition of affairs so much as the unlawful expeditions which have been fitted out in the United States to make war upon the Central American States. Had one half of the number of American citizens who have miserably perished in the first disastrous expedition of General Walker settled in Nicaragua as peaceful emigrants, the object which we all desire would ere this have been, in a great degree, accomplished. These expeditions have caused the people of the Central American States to regard us with dread and suspicion. It is our true policy to remove this apprehension, and to convince them that we intend to do them good, and not evil. We desire, as the leading Power on this continent, to open, and, if need be, to protect every transit rout across the isthmus, not only for our own benefit, but that of the world, and thus open a free access to Central America, and through it to our Pacific posessions. This policy was commenced under favorable auspices, when the expedition, under the command of Gen Walker, escaped from our territories and proceed to Punta Arenas. Should another expedition of a similar character again evade the vigilance of our officers and proceed to Nicaragua this would be fatal, at least for a season, to the peaceful settlement of these countries and to the policy of American progress. The truth is, that no administration can successfully conduct the foreign affairs of the country in Central America, or any where else, if it is to be interfered with at every step by lawless military expeditions "set on foot" in the United States.

JAMES BUCHANAN.

WASHINGTON, January 7, 1858.

SECTARIAN IMPERTINENCE.

The *Rev.* Henry Ward Beecher, who, besides distributing rifles among the fanatics which congregate around his desecrated pulpit, and villifying a certain slave-holding deacon in Tennessee, uses the columns of the *New York Tribune*, of which he is the *religious* editor, to defame the churches, and particularly to denounce the religion of the South. A few days ago, the arch hypocrite, whose greatest delight is in the perpetration of impertinent offences, fired off a whole column of vulgar criticism at the new edition of the Book of Common Prayer recently issued in Philadelphia, because, on the *vignette* title page, there is a picture of the Saviour surrounded by the sick seeking to be healed, &c., *but no slave in chains imploring deliverance!* No matter if the Saviour never did interfere with slavery which existed all around him, and never uttered a word in condemnation of the masters; the Rev. Diatriber of the present day, who presides over the infamous orgies of the Church of the Puritans, most impiously assumes to enounce a higher authority than that promulgated by the Son of God himself.—And Henry Ward Beecher will tell any one that if Christ did not condemn slavery, *he* condmns Christ!

The hoary sinner and traitor says:

'In the City of Boston, we happen to know, while a prominent Baptist Church makes it a condition in the deeds of the pews that they shall be forfeited if sold to a Baptist with a colored skin, the Church of the Advent, embracing many persons distinguished for genius, culture, refinement and wealth, not only admits black men and women to a perfect equality of sittings, but actually seeks them out to invite them to come in. And we believe the same Christian spirit of equality before God prevails among the High Churchmen of this City, also. This sneaking act of servility we attribute solely to the publishers, and we have told of it merely as a proof of the all prevading influence of Slavery, and of the opinion of the Philadelphia printers as to the supremacy of the Church. The sensitive nerve of the pocket answered to the sensibility of the slave-holding conscience, and hence this despicable toad-eating, even in the presence of God himself.'

Now if all be true, which is very doubtful, it is quite apparent that the parson is laboring as heartily for the political degradation of the South in this life, as for the welfare of souls in the world to come.—And we are curious to learn whether the white and black people really have 'sittings' in juxtaposition in the Church of the Advent; and if so, whether or not *cuspidores* are freely used—*not* such cuspors as that in the Holy Puritans—but fumigat-

ing or disinfecting agents. As the Holy Puritans, were the olfactories become familiar with the scent of sheep's clothing, no doubt the odor groes is rather refreshing than otherwise, but we have yet to learn that the obtained possession of the Church advent. At all events the condition of the Episcopal Prayer Book Beecher will not be likely to retard culation in the South.—*Southern*

CONSEQUENCES.

A gentleman having advertised servant, a black man applied for the tion. The old gentleman enquired whether he understood consequences cause if you do not, you will me.'

Sambo requested him to explain self, as he did not know that he stood the meaning of the term.

'Why,' said the gentleman, you to set the dinner table, I shall you to lay the cloth, put on the the sauce, &c., as a necessary consequence without my being under the necessity mentioning every item to be placed table.'

'Oh! yes,' said Sambo, 'if that you call consequences, I shall be you.'

Accordingly, Sambo was employed suited the old gentleman very well ing to carry out consequences to particular.

At length the old gentleman was ill, and Sambo was sent in haste doctor. Sambo stayed a long time length arrived, not only with the but with a lawyer to write the undertaker to take the dimensions coffin, and the grave digger to grave, &c.

Why, Sambo, said the old gentleman merely sent you for the doctor, and you bring all these men?

Because, said Sambo, you must always consider consequences thought these men, (pointing to of law and death,) a necessary quence of having the doctor.

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Force and Chain Pumps, Lead Pipes,
Gum and Hemp Packing,
Oil feeders, Files (all kinds,)
Coffee Mills, Whetstones for Scythes,
Copper Rivits and Bans, Knob Stock,
Padd Locks, Hooks and Staples, Tacks,
Wire and Wire cloth, Blacksmith's Vices,
Sand and Emery Paper Gauging Rods and Rules

Also—

CARPENTER'S TOOLS.

Farmers in want of any of the above articles will do well to give me a call.

Repairing promptly and faithfully attended to. Orders per mail will meet with strict attention.

Blacksmith's coal always on hand.

W. H. CLARK.
ap 19

SPLENDID OPENING THIS DAY
AT THE BEE HIVE.

GREATEST Bargains ever seen in French Merinoes, all colors and qualities at less than cost of importation; Plaid Merinoes of entirely new designs at 50 and 62c. all wool; also small plaid and figured for children's wear.

Blankets at half price, all sizes, from beautiful quality Cribb, to the 14 4 Eng Whitney.

CLOAKS, CLOAKS

We have opened the richest assortment of the above Goods ever seen in Virginia, and at less than cost of Materials. Styles are entirely new and cannot be found at any other house except the Bee Hive

Shawls of all kinds. Cheniel Shawls at $14, sold in the city for $20—only a few left.

Stella Plaid and all the fashionable styles of Shawls at bargains.

CARPETS, CARPETS.

Velvet, Brussels, threeply, Superfine, Ingrain and down to the cheapest Hemp at 25 cts per yd.

Rugs of all kinds. These goods were bought at a great sacrifice, and will be offered at prices for Cash that will warrant a rapid sale.

Satinets, Casimeres, Flanels, Prints, and all kinds of Domestics at very low prices. The Bee Hive is 33 Main st, Norfolk.

Nov. 10. JAS. SMITH.

LARGE ARRIVAL OF CLOAKS & SHAWLS AT THE BEE HIVE.

WHICH will be sold from 50 to 100 per cent less than regular prices.

All who want a wrapping of any kind, had better call at the Bee Hive themselves, at half the usual price.

EMBROIDERIES.

Embroideries at the Bee Hive.

Tremendous Reduction in Embroidery

Two Hundred and Fifty French on hand—we will close out at $1 to $1 25. At the BEE HIVE
no 24 33 Main street, Nor.

GRAND OPENING at the BEE Hive, on Monday, Sept. 21st 1857, the most splendid assortment of

CLOAKS AND WRAPPINGS

Of all kinds ever seen in Norfolk, entire new designs at the BEE HIVE,
sep 29 No. 32, Main Street.

CURRITUCK COUNTY COUPON BONDS for $100 and $1000 each, interest payable semi-annually at Norfolk, for sale by
MARSHALL PARKS.

NOTICE.

LIVERY STABLES.

I RETURN MY SINCERE THANKS to my friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage heretofore extended to me, and ask a continuance of the same. I shall always keep on hand fine horses, vehicles &c, for hire, and also board horses either by the single meal, week, month, or year.

It will be my pleasure to accommodate and oblige those who may favor me with their patronage, and therefore will always be prepared to furnish good horses and vehicles.

☞ Stables, on Road street, nearly opposite the old Bank.

CHAS. B. BROTHERS.
E City, July 14 1857.—tf

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.
CHOWAN COURT
Of Equity—Fall Term, 1857.
A. J. Glover,
vs.
Josiah Collins, E. A. Collins, John D. Collins, Henrietta E. Page, Ann C. Page, William Sheppard, Thomas A. Harrison and his wife Louisa M. K. Harrison.

IT appearing to the Court, that the said Thos. A. Harrison and wife Louisa M. K. are residents of another State, it is therefore ordered by the Court that advertisement be made in the Democratic Pioneer for six weeks, commanding the said Thomas A. Harrison and Louisa M. K. his wife, to appear at the next term of said Court to be held at the Court House in Edenton on the 2d Monday after the 4th Monday in March next, then and there to plead, answer or demur or the said bill will be taken pro confesso as to them and heard upon its merits.

Witness, W. A. MOORE, Clerk and Master in Equity of said County at office, this 6th day of November, A. D. 1857.

W. A. MOORE, C. & M. E., C. C.
Nov. 10, 1857—6w [Pr f $5,62½]

CO-PARTNERSHIP.—The undersigned have this day formed a Co-partnership, under the style and firm of DELK & LINDSEY, for the purpose of conducting a GENERAL COMMISSION BUSINESS. We most respectfully solicit your patronage; pledging ourselves to prompt and faithful attention to all business confided to our care.

The experience of Mr. Delk, in the business for the past thirteen years, gives our firm all the advantages of a thorough knowledge of the Commission business.

We are prepared to grant the usual facilities to our friends.

EDWIN H. DELK,
Late of Hardy & Delk.
EDMUND C. LINDSEY,
Late of Currituck Co. N. C.
Norfolk, Va., Aug. 19th, 1856. 1y

FOR SALE.

A BEAUTIFUL FARM ON SEAWELLS' Point, directly opposite Old Point Comfort, and about seven miles from the city of Norfolk. This FARM contains ONE HUNDRED and FORTY and ONE-FOURTH acres, of the finest land in Eastern Virginia, and is well adapted to Trucking purposes. One half the land is under cultivation, the other is well set in OAK and PINE TIMBER. The dwelling house is a two story frame building containing six nice rooms—that, together with all the necessary out-houses have been put up within the last twelve months. A bargain is now offered, and application must be made soon. For further particulars address

JOHN. B. UPSHUR,
Ship Broker & Commission Merchant,
Nov 3—6ts Norfolk, Va.

SILK GOODS, SILK GOODS.

JUST opened at the "BEE HIVE." "under Johnson's New Hall," a splendid line of SILK DRESS GOODS which will be sold at a REDUCTION of 50 per cent. from former prices. All in want of a handsome Silk had better call soon at the "Bee Hive," as they are going with a rush.

A few more Carpets left, Velvet, Three ply and Ingrain &c., still selling at cost to close them out.

CLOAKS, CLOAKS,

The balance of our stock of the above goods will be sold without regard to cost, as it is late in the season.

SHAWLS,

All the latest styles at a great bargain Cheniel Shawls for $5, worth $12.

EMBROIDERIES.

At a great sacrifice. The "Bee Hive" is under Johnson's Hall, East side Main st.
jan. 5. JAMES SMITH.

NEW BOOKS AT
W. P. GRIFFITH'S BOOKSTORE.

Souvenirs of Travel, by Mada Octavia Walton Le Vert, 2 vols, $2. This work is having a very extensive sale, and is pronounced by all to be the most interesting book of travel ever published.

Doctor Livingston's Journals—Missionary Travels and Researches in South Africa, including a sketch of sixteen years' residence in the interior of Africa, and a Journey from the Cape of Good Hope to Loando, on the West Coast, thence across the continent down the river Zambosi to the Eastern Ocean—by David Livingston, with two maps, a portrait in steel and fifty superb illustrations—Price $3.

The Hashosh Eater—Being passages from the Life of a Pathagorean—$1.

A Gorgeous and Tasteful Gift Book—The Poets of the 19th Century, edited by the Rev. Robert A Wilmot, with English and American Editions, arranged by Evert A. Duyckinck, superbly illustrated with 32 engravings, printed on superfine tinted paper—$5.

Life Studies or How to Live, illustrated in the biographies of Bunyan, Terstregen, Montgomery, Perthis and Mrs. Winslow, by the Rev John Baillie.

The Spanish Conquests in America, by Arthur Helps, 3d vol—$1.

The above, with a splendid assortment of new and interesting books, now being opened at W P GRIFFITH'S Bookstore,
Norfolk Va. dec. 15th, 1857.

$20 *REWARD.*

RANAWAY from the subscriber on Monday the 4th of January, negro boy Daniel, property of Emily Harvey. Said negro is about 35 years of age, dark complected full whiskers and moustache and is about 6 feet high. I expect he is endeavering to make his way to the dismal swamp but when last seen was in the neighborhood of E City. Daniel has a wife near Newbegun Creek on Brothers' road may be lurking about there. The above reward will be paid for his delivery to me, or confinement in E. City jail so that I get him again.

THOMAS HARVEY.
Jan 5th, 1858.—tf.

CLOAKS, CLOAKS.

500 CLOAKS AT 5 PER CENT. LESS than New York prices. These goods are manufactured expressly for our own sales, and for styles quality of materials and finish are unequalled in this city. In no other store can as large and complete assortment be found, and at prices that defy competition.

The ladies of Norfolk and vicinity are requested to call early, while the assortment is large, as we are closing them out quite rapidly prior to the removal of the BEE HIVE to Johnson's new building, Jan 1st 1858. JAS SMITH, Prop'r.
dec 8—tf

NOTICE.
REMOVAL OF THE
"BEE HIVE"

THE BEE HIVE, has been removed to the new and magnificent store in the East side of Johnson's new building, where the Proprietor will be pleased to see his old friends and patrons. The stock has been replenished and will be found very attractive.

The Cloak and Shawl Department is fixed up and embraces the largest assortment in the city, of the latest style. JAMES SMITH,
jan 5 Proprietor.

MARCH'S is the place to purchase Farming Tools, of every description.—There you can find
Corn Shellers for hand or horse Power
Straw Cutters do do
Hominy Mills,
Wheat Fans.
Horse Powers, Wheat Threshers. Field Rollers
Corn Planters, Spades Shovels
Manure forks, and other Implements in the greatest variety. Send along your orders.

AT HOME
AGAIN

LIVERY STABLES.

THE SUBSCRIBER would most respectfully inform his friends and the public generally that he has again taken charge of the Stables formerly kept by himself, but more recently in the possession of Messrs. *Hinton & Lamb*, where he will keep for hire horses either in harness or saddle, and vehicles of every description upon the most reasonable terms. *He* is also prepared to board horses by the single meal, week, month or year. *Having* been proprietor of these stables before, it is needless to say one word in reference to his attention to horses left in his care. Upon that subject he is well known.

Persons putting up their horses at the stables, will have their baggage conveyed to either of the hotels, or any where else in town free of charge.

ARTHUR L. JONES.
Elizabeth City, July, 14 1857.—tf.

J. B. DYER,
DRAPER AND TAILOR,
ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.,

To his patrons in his immediate vicinity, those of Pasquotank and the adjacent counties, the undersigned would most respectfully tender his thanks for the liberality with which they have patronized his establishment, from its commencement to the present time.

In making his selections for the present Spring and ensuing Summer, emotions of gratitude and a desire to retain the favor and patronage of a discerning community, have had the happy effect of improving his judgment, and inducing an exercise of taste and fancy unsurpassed even by himself. As a part of his stock, to which he respectfully invites the early attention of the public generally, he enumerates the following, to wit:

CLOTHS and CASSIMERES—Blue, black, orown, green and fancy colored. VESTINGS—Cloth, cassimere, silk, satin, Marseilles, &c., both plain and figured, of every variety of color and shade. SHIRTS—Vergonia, silk, linen and linen-bosomed, of beautiful texture, style, quality and make. DRAWERS—Vergonia and fine twilled Jeans, cut and made in the most modern and approved styles. HALF-HOSE or SOCKS—Silk, thread, cotton, to please the most fastidious or accommodate the mosteconomical. SUSPENDERS—Of every variety; a few indescribably elegant. STOCKS and CRAVATS—A most beautiful assortment of every shape, style and fancy. COLLARS—Of the old sort, new sort and *a la Byron*. GLOVES—Cotton, silk, kid, black, white and colored. POCKET HANDKERCHIEFS—Silk and linen cambric of ordinary to extra quality, &c., &c.; together with a choice selection of trimmings to match those Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, which he is prepared to have made up to order in the latest Northern and Parisian fashions, to suit his customers and sustain his reputation for good "fits" and fine work.

☞ A pretty good stock of French Fancy Cassimeres. Call early, and have your *measure taken*. Store immediately opposite the Boot and Shoe Store of Messrs. Knox & Jackson. Sign. JAMES B. DYER.
April 17, 1855.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY AND GUNS
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
FALL 1855
ALLYN, ROSE & CAPPS

TAKE PLEASURE in calling the attention of their Virginia and North Carolina friends, (especially the Mercantile class,) to their extensive assortment of GENERAL HARDWARE, a large portion of which was imported with a special view to the Fall and Winter wholesale trade, and the Merchant, Mechanic and Farmer, will bear in mind, that under the circumstances of our not being able to make our usual fall sales our assortment of Hardware, can be purchased on wholesale terms, at greatly reduced prices. Call and examine for yourselves. dec 4

WHEAT & CORN FANS—Of these I have a very large supply CLINTON'S No 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 for small Farms—SINCLAIR'S No 1, 2 and 3. These are a very good WHEAT FAN, and the best CORN FAN known. BAMBOROUGH'S No 2, 1 and 1 extra. It is needless to say more of these Fans, than that they are the very best for cleaning wheat in the known world. They have taken more premiums by many, than any other, and always give the very best satisfaction. They thoroughly separate Cheat, Cockle, and every other impurity from the Wheat.

All in want are certain of obtaining the very best article by sending their orders to

S. MARCH.
aug. 4th.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm of W. T. & J. M. HINTON is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the firm will be settled at their old stand, by W. T. HINTON.

WM. T. HINTON,
JOHN M. HINTON.
March 2d, 1857.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

The undersigned have this day formed a Copartnership under the firm of HINTON & DASHIELL, and will continue the DRY GOODS Business at the old stand.

WM. T. HINTON,
LUTHER C. DASHIELL.
E. City, March 2, 1857.

TREMENDOUS SACRIFICE OF
FRENCH MERINOES
AT THE
"BEE HIVE."

SPLENDID GOODS for 75 cts. per yd worth $1 25. Also, the very best quality for $1 per yard, worth $1 50.

All kinds of Goods at 50 per cent. less than the regular prices.

Cloaks and Shawls at half price.

Velvet Cloaks at $20, worth $35.

Gray Cloth Cloaks from $2 to $20.

Cheniel Shawls at $12, worth $20.

The Bee Hive is 33 Main street, Norfolk.
no 10 JAMES SMITH.

HOUSE CARPENTERS.
ALLYN, ROSE & CAPPS,

HAVE just received a sample lot of very superior full size Planes, from a new maker—celebrated for their superiority of finish as well as size and weight. Consisting of the following:

Bench Planes, Box Wood do., Match do.,
Hollows and Rounds do., Double Box Wood Smooth do.

With many other patterns of Planes, and a large variety of **General House Carpenters Hardware.**

Call and see us. dec 18

PLOW IRON—

5	inches	wide,
7	do	do
8	do	do
9	do	do
10	do	do
11	do	do
12	do	do

With a large cut, cut in shape for making Jack Dagon Plows. Send your orders to

S. MARCH.

TO THE PUBLIC.

MR. B. T. MILLER has purchased the right to manufacture Wilkenson's Colic and Diarrhoea mixture for North Carolina, and will hereafter manufacture the same in E. City. It will be genuine and can be depended on for all affections of the stomach and bowels.

W. W. GREGORY, M. D.

CHENIEL SHAWLS, CHENIEL SHAWLS.

RECEIVED per steamer Roanoke a splendid assortment of Cheniel shawls from $5 up.—The same goods cost from 12 to 15 dollars first of the season. All who want a Cheniel Shawl, call soon and get one at the BEE HIVE.
jan 5.

NOTICE.

M'CUBBIN'S PATENT SEINE Twine and Patent Seine Rope, for sale at manufacturer's prices

PLUME & CO.
Norfolk, Va., Nov. 24th, 1857. 2m.

FRENCH MERINOES—All wool Delaines at Cost at the
BEE HIVE.

LAW BOOKS! LAW BOOKS!!

THE attention of Lawyers is called to the following list of VALUABLE LAW BOOKS, which are offered for sale exactly at the publisher's prices.

Reports of Decisions in the Supreme Court of the United States; with notes, and a digest, by Judge B. R. Curtis, 22 vols., $66,
Commentaries on Equity Jurisprudence, as administered in England and America, by Joseph Story, 2 vols., $11,
Story on Bills of Exchange, $5 50c,
Story on Agency, $5,
Parsons on Contracts, 2 vols., $11,
Phillips on Insurance, 2 vols, $10,
Story on Sales, $4 50c,
Daniels Chancery Pleading and Practice, 3 vols. $12,
Parsons Mercantile Law, $5 50c,
Story on Bailments, $5,
Wheaton's International Law, $6,
Story on Conflict of Laws, $6 50c,
Walker's American Law, $5 50c,
Story's Equity Pleadings, $6,
Drake on Attachment, $4 50c,
Story on the Constitution, 2 vols., $7 50c,
Precedents of Indictments and Special Pleas, by Chas. R. Train and F. F. Herd, $4,
Story on Partnership, $5 50c,
Digest of the General Laws of the United States, with reference to the Acts repealed, supplied, or modified, &c., &c., by James Dunlop, $6 50
Story on Promissory Notes, $5 50c,
Bishop on Marriage and Divorce, $5,
Thornton on Conveyancing, 2nd edition, $4 50
Taylor's Landlord and Tenant, $4 50,
Story on Bailments, $5,
Bishop on Criminal Law, $5,
Angell on the Law of Carriers, $5 50c,
Greenleaf on Evidence, 3 vols., $16 50c,
Angell and Ames on Corporations, $5 50c,
Hening and Munford's Reports, 4 vols., $20,
Tucker's Commentaries on the Laws of Virginia, $8,
Tates Analytical and Digested Index, 2 vols, $8
Hall's Digested Index to the Virginia Reports, $3,
Decisions of Cases in Virginia, by the High Court of Chancery, by Geo. Wythe, new edition, $4 50,
Sand's Suit in Equity, $4,
Mathews' Guide, $2 75c.
Tates' Form Book, new edition, by Sands, $1 25

The above with many other valuable works are for sale by

W. P. GRIFFITH.
feb 3 Norfolk, Va.

NEW
BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE.
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

W. P. GRIFFITH, having dissolved his connection with the firm of Vickery & Griffith, would respectfully inform the citizens of Elizabeth City and of the surrounding country, that he has opened at the store formerly occupied by the late Mr. R. C. Barclay, *The largest and best stock of Books and Stationery ever offered for sale in the City of Norfolk.*

Believing that the wants and the tastes of the people required one establishment similar to those found in the large Northern cities, where a full and general assortment of Books can be obtained, the subscriber has been induced, during a recent visit to Philadelphia, New York and Boston, to purchase from the principal publishers, and at the great "Trade Sales," a superior stock of

School, Classical, Law, Medical, Theological, Religious and Miscellaneous

BOOKS.

Which will, upon examination, compare with any to be found in the Southern country.

My Stock of Foreign and American

STATIONERY.

Is very large and complete, it has been selected with great care, and embraces every article required for the School and Counting Room.

MY WHOLE STOCK IS ENTIRELY
—NEW,—

and has been bought upon the very best terms and a large portion for cash, which gives me a decided advantage over all other houses in the city, and will enable me to sell my goods at prices far below former rates.

Booksellers in this and adjacent Towns and Country Merchants, will find it greatly to their advantage to examine my stock before going North.

Colleges, Schools and Teachers, will be supplied at Northern prices.

By special arrangements with the following houses, I shall receive their new Books as they are issued from the Press, and will supply any or all of their publications at their prices:

J. B. Lippincott & Co.,	Philadelphia
Lindsay & Blackiston,	do.
James B. Smith & Co.,	do.
T. B. Peterson,	do.
Harper & Brothers,	New York.
D. Appleton & Co.,	do.
Robert Carter & Bros.,	do.
Charles Scribner,	do.
Derby & Jackson,	do.
Little, Brown & Co.,	Boston
Phillips, Sampson & Co.,	do.
Ticknor & Fields,	do.
Crosby, Nichols & Co.,	do.
Gould & Lincoln,	do.

Orders from the Country will meet with prompt attention directed to W. P. GRIFFITH,
oct 21 Norfolk, Va.

'YOUNG AMERICA'
CORN AND COB MILL,
MANUFACTURED BY
S. MARCH, Norfolk, Va.

THE above Mill, which so far surpassed all others last season, has been improved, and made stronger and better than ever, and is now in the field carrying everything before it. It is the mill for strength, durability and swiftness.

I annex a list of premiums it has received this season, over the 'Little Giant,' 'Magic Mill,' Star Mill, Maynard's Mill, and all others that have come into competition with it:

First premium at the N. York State Fair.
First premium at the Ohio State Fair.
First premium at the Michigan State Fair.
First premium at the N. Carolina State Fair.
First premium at the Nashville (Tenn.) Fair.
First premium at one County Fair in N. York.
First premium at ten County Fairs in Ohio.
Trial of corn and cob mills at the North Carolina State Fair, October 1856.

The following table will show the time occupied by each of the Mills on exhibition in grinding half bushel of corn and cobs:

Young America,	2	minutes and	40 seconds.
Little Giant,	4	"	55 "
Magic Mill,	6	"	

Sinclair & Co's Mill, two trials, average time, 6 minutes and 58 seconds.

Advantages of the Young America or Excelsior Mill over all others: 1st, great strength and durability; 2d, simplicity, (having but one set screw to graduate the quality of grinding, which renders it so simple that it may be managed by any ordinary farm hand;) 3d, it will grind more corn, or corn and cob, in the same time, and of same quality, than any other mill in use of the same size; 4th, economy—that part of the mill which is most liable to wear, being separate from the main body of the machine, can be renewed when worn out, at the small cost of $3. Thus in the Young America or Excelsior mill, I present the best, cheapest and most durable mill ever offered to the Farmer. This mill is of large size and greater capacity than any other mill ever sold at the same price.

Price, including extra plates, $50.

I am also manufacturing Cart and Wagon Wheels, Farm Wagons, Carts, Trucks, Drays, Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Corn Shellers, and Agricultural Implements generally, and am better prepared to furnish farmers and merchants than any other house in the city.

Call and examine my stock and be convinced that it is to your interest to patronize Southern enterprize. I am unwilling to believe that all the men in Virginia and North Carolina prefer to build up the North and impoverish the South.

I have also a Foundry connected with my factory, and solicit orders for Castings generally

S. MARCH,
Norfolk, Va.
dec 9

TAKE NOTICE.

GREAT INDUCEMENT TO PURCHASE
DRY GOOD
FROM
STEWAR & CO.,
NOS. 25 MAIN AND 17 HILL STS,
60,000 DOLLARS WORTH OF
STAPLE AND FANCY
DRY GOODS.
AT PRIME COST, WITHOUT QUALIFICATION OR RESERVE.

TERMS CASH in bankable funds—Incurrent Money taken at the current rate of discount.

Credit Sales at the prices heretofore charged.

W. P. STEWART & CO.

CARPET, OIL-CLOTH,
CURTAIN AND PAPER-HANGING
WARE-ROOMS,
NO. 25, MAIN STREET, NORFOLK, VA.

THE subscriber respectfully invites the attention of the public, to his large and handsome assortment of

VELVET,
TAPESTRY,
THREE PLY,
INGRAIN AND
COMMON CARPETS,
RUGGETS,
RUGS,
DOOR MATS, &c.,
FURNITURE AND
FLOOR OIL CLOTHS.

—ALSO—

Satin De Laines, Worsted, Damask, Lace and Muslin Curtains, Col'd. Velvet and Common Window Shades, Gilt Cornices, Curtain Bands, Tassels, Loops, &c.

All of which, together with a complete assortment of Gilts, Velvet, Satin and Common Papers, Borders, Fire Screens and Curtain Papers, he offers at the lowest prices.

WM. A. WALTERS,
Upholsterer and Paper Hanger,
dec 2 No. 26, Main street.

P. S.—Persons fitting out of the city, can have their Carpets cut and made to fit, by furnishing us with a plat of their rooms. W. A. W.

TREMENDOUS SACRIFICE AT THE
"BEE HIVE."

FRENCH Merinoes at 75 cts per yd, worth $1.25—the best quality worth 1,50 which we are running off at 1,00 per yd, less than importer's prices.

All kinds of goods at 50 per cent less than the Regular prices.

French Merinoes for shawls at Bargains.
Cloaks and Shawls at half price.
Velvet Cloaks at $20, worth 35.
Gray Cloth Cloaks from 2 dollars to 20.
Cheniel Shawls at 13, worth $20.
Silks from 37½ cts per yd, to $3.
Black Silks at 75c. worth $1.
Call soon at the BEE HIVE, 33 Main st.
November 10th, 1857

ROSCIUS.

A FOUR YEAR OLD DEVON BULL, BLOOD Red, weighing 1800 pounds and perfect in form; will stand at the Farm of the subscriber at the low price of TenDollars the season. Roscius took the First Premium at the Connecticut State Fair; at the New York State Fair; and at the Late Maryland State Fair. He is the largest animal of the kind ever introduced into this Country, and is of the pure Devon Stock. I would particularly invite all feeling an interest in the improvement of Stock, to call and see for themselves. For pedigree examine the English Herds Book. Pasturage Free; but no responsibility for escapes.

[dec 1st-tf] W H DAVIS.

MARION HARLAND'S NEW BOOK.
"MOSS-SIDE."

W. P. GRIFFITH has received a full supply of MOSS-SIDE, a New Work, by MARION HARLAND, Author of "Alone and the "Hidden Path.' Price $1,25

Those who have seen the advance sheets of MOSS-SIDE, write in the opinion that it is superior to both of Marion Harland's former productions in interest style, and popular fact.

Call early and get a copy from the book store of W. P. GRIFFITH.
Norfolk, Va., October 13th 1857.

SUNDRIES.

100 KEGS Cut Nails
50 kegs Boat and Ship Spikes, from 3 to 10 inches long
20 kegs Horses Shoes
5 bags Horse Shoe Nails
Carriage Springs and Axles
Cart and Wagon Axles
Grind Stones and Fixtures
Cart and Wagon Boxes, and Through Boxes, all sizes
Straw Cutters, corn Shellers
Hominy Mills, Fanning Mills
Horse Powers, Wheat threshers
Lime and Guano Spreaders
Carts, Wagons, Trucks; Wheel Barows
Corn Planters, Seed Drills
Clover Seed Sowers, Spades, Shovels
Manure Forks, Grubbing Hoes, Rakes,
weeding Hoes, Axes, Plows, Screws
Plow Castings, Files, Horse Rasps
Borax, Washers, Nuts, Plow Skeletons
Cauldrons, Hog Troughs
Garden and Field Rollers
Garden Engines, and all other Farming Tools
te 17 S. MARCH.

PAPER HANGINGS

Borders, Window Shades,
Lace Curtains, Cornices,
Bands, De Laines, Damasks
Gimps, Tassels, Loops, &c.
—ALSO—
Velvets, Tapestry, 3 Ply
Ingrain, and Venetian Carpets,
Floor Oil Cloths, Mattings, &c.,

In great variety and at all prices, can be found at our warerooms, No. 26 Main street.

WM. A WALTERS & CO.,
Upholsterers and Paper Hangers.
may 26

LOOK HERE.
A FORTUNE FOR ONE DOLLAR.

ON THE RECEIPT OF $1,00, there will be mailed to any person a receipt for making from $200 to $300 a month with great ease at a very honorable employment. The scheme is highly original, a rare chance and a new discovery. The author of this scheme has been following it with great success during the past year, and he now offers his receipt to the public for the benefit of those who are in need of good, lucrative and honorable employment. The reader can rely on the author's honor as a gentleman that it is not a deception. All wishing profitable employment send on. Address

N. C. DINNY,
Sept 15 6ms. Greensboro', N.C.

RIENTZEL'S
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CALENDAR FOR 1858.

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E. City, April 7 185.

A CARD.

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No difference in charge will be made to those sending for me at my present location.

Dr. Spruill returns his thanks for the patronage so liberally bestowed whilst at his old stand and hopes for its continuance after his *permanent* establishment at the new.

July 7th., 1857.—tf.-49.

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FURNITURE AND
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All kinds of goods at 50 per cent less than the Regular prices.

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Call soon at the BEE HIVE, 33 Main st.
November 10th, 1857

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[dec 1st-tf] W H DAVIS.

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Those who have seen the advance sheets of MOSS-SIDE, write in the opinion that it is superior to both of Marion Harland's former productions in interest style, and popular tact.

Call early and get a coppy from the book store of W. P. GRIFFITH.

Norfolk, Va., October 13th 1857.

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Straw Cutters, corn Shellers
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Sept. 15th, 1857.

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B. T. MILLER, Agt.

March 31, 1857

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E. City, Dec. 15, 1857—tf.

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YOUNG MEN

especially, who have become the victims of Solitary Vice, that dreadful and destructive habit, which annually sweeps to an untimely grave thousands of young men of the most exalted talents and brilliant intellects, who might otherwise have entranced listening Senates with the thunders of eloquence, or waked to ecstacy the living lyre, may call with all confidence.

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Married persons, or Young Men contemplating marriage, being aware of physical weakness, organic debility, deformities, &c., should immediately consult Dr. Johnston, and be restored to perfect health.

He who places himself under the care of Dr. Johnston, may religiously confide in his honor as a gentleman, and confidently rely upon his skill as a Physician.

Organic Weakness

immediately cured and full vigor restored.

This disease is the penalty most frequently paid by those who have become the victims of improper indulgencies. Young persons are too apt to commit excesses from not being aware of the dreadful consequences that may ensue.—Now, who that understands the subject will pretend to deny that the power of Procreation is lost sooner by those falling into improper habits than by the prudent? Besides being deprived of the pleasure of healthy offspring, the most serious and destructive symptoms to both body and mind arise. The system becomes deranged; the physical and mental powers weakened, nervous debility, dyspepsia, palpitation of the heart, indigestion, a wasting of the frame, cough, symptoms of consumption, &c.

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A Certain Disease.

When the misguided and imprudent votary of pleasure finds he has imbibed the seeds of this painful disease, it too often happens that an ill-timed sense of shame, or dread of discovery, deters him from applying to those who from education and respectability, can alone befriend him, delaying till the constitutional symptoms of this horrid disease make their appearance, such as ulcerated sore throat, diseased nose, nocturnal pains in the head and limbs, dimness of sight, deafness, nodes on the shin bones and arms, blotches on the head, face and extremities, progressing with frightful rapidity, till at last the palate of the mouth or the bones of the nose fall in, and the victim of this awful disease becomes a horrid object of commiseration, till death puts a period to his dreadful sufferings, by sending him to 'that bourne from whence no traveler returns.' To such therefore Dr. Johnston pledges himself to preserve the most inviolable secrecy, and from his extensive practice in the first Hospitals of Europe and America, he can confidently recommend a safe and speedy cure to the unfortunate victim of this horrid disease.

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Take Particular Notice!

Dr. J. addresses all those who have injured themselves by improper indulgencies and solitary habits which ruin both body and mind, unfitting them for either Business, Study, Society or Marriage.

These are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz:—Weakness of the Back and Limbs, Pains in the Head, Dimness of Sight, Loss of Muscular Power, Palpitation of the Heart, Dyspepsia, Nervous Irritability, Derangement of the Digestive Functions, General Debility, Symptoms of Consumption, &c.

MENTALLY.—The fearful effects upon the mind are much to be dreaded; loss of memory, Confusion of ideas, Depression of Spirits, Forebodings of Evil, Aversion of Society, Self-Distrust, Love of Solitude, Timidity, etc., are some of the evils produced.

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Young Men,

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What a pity that a young man, the hope of his country, and the darling of his parents, should be snatched from all prospects and enjoyments of life, by the consequences of deviating from the path of nature, and indulging in a certain secret habit. Such persons before contemplating

Marriage,

should reflect that a sound mind and body are the most necessary requisites to promote connubial happiness. Indeed, without these, the journey through life becomes a weary pilgrimage, the prospects hourly darkens to the view; the mind becomes shadowed with despair and filled with the melancholy reflection that the happiness of another becomes blighted with our own

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Take Notice.

☞ There are so many ignorant and worthless Quacks advertising themselves as Physicians, ruining the health of the already afflicted, that Dr. Johnston deems it necessary to say, especially to those unacquainted with his reputation, that his credentials or diplomas always hang in his office.

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The following table will show the time occupied by each of the Mills on exhibition in grinding half bushel of corn and cobs:

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S. MARCH,
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TERMS CASH in bankable funds—Uncurrent Money taken at the current rate of discount.

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W. P. STEWART & CO.

SHERWOOD & YOUNG,

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

AND WHOLESALE GROCERS,

No. 14 ROANOKE SQUARE, NORFOLK, VA

J. B. DYER,

DRAPER AND TAILOR,

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C.

To his patrons in his immediate vicinity, those of Pasquotank and the adjacent counties, the undersigned would most respectfully tender his thanks for the liberality with which they have patronized his establishment, from its commencement to the present time.

In making his selections for the present Spring and ensuing Summer, emotions of gratitude and a desire to retain the favor and patronage of a discerning community, have had the happy effect of improving his judgment, and inducing an exercise of taste and fancy unsurpassed even by himself. As a part of his stock, to which he respectfully invites the early attention of the public generally, he enumerates the following, to wit:

CLOTHS and CASSIMERES—Blue, black, brown, green and fancy colored. VESTINGS—Cloth, cassimere, silk, satin, Marseilles, &c., both plain and figured, of every variety of color and shade. SHIRTS—Vergouia, silk, linen and linen-bosomed, of beautiful texture, style, quality and make. DRAWERS—Vergonia and finer twilled Jeans, cut and made in the most modern and approved styles HALF-HOSE or SOCKS—Silk, thread, cotton, to please the most fastidious or accommodate the most economical. SUSPENDERS—Of every variety; a few indescribably elegant. STOCKS and CRAVATS—A most beautiful assortment of every shape, style and fancy. COLLARS—Of the old sort, new sort and *a la Byron*. GLOVES—Cotton, silk, kid, black, white and colored. POCKET HANDKERCHIEFS—Silk and linen cambric of ordinary to extra quality, &c., &c.; together with a choice selection of trimmings to match those Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings, which he is prepared to have made up to order in the latest Northern and Parisian fashions, to suit his customers and sustain his reputation for good "fits" and fine work.

☞ A pretty good stock of French Fancy Cassimeres. Call early, and have your *measure taken*. Store immediately opposite the Boot and Shoe Store of Messrs. Knox & Jackson. Ex sign.

JAMES B. DYER.

April 17, 1855.

HARDWARE, CUTLERY AND GLASS

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

FALL 1855

ALLYN, ROSE & CAPPS

TAKE PLEASURE in calling the attention of their Virginia and North Carolina friends, (especially the Mercantile class,) to their extensive assortment of GENERAL HARDWARE, a large portion of which was imported with a special view to the Fall and Winter wholesale trade, and the Merchant, Mechanic and Farmer, will bear in mind, that under the circumstances of our not being able to make our usual fall sales our assortment of Hardware, can be purchased on wholesale terms, at greatly reduced prices. Call and examine for yourselves. dec 4

WHEAT & CORN FANS—Of these I have a very large supply CLINTON'S No 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 for small Farms—SINCLAIR'S No 1, 2 and 3. These are a very good WHEAT FAN, and the best CORN FAN known. BAMBOROUGH'S No 2, 1 and 1 extra. It is needless to say more of these Fans, than that they are the very best for cleaning wheat in the known world They have taken more premiums by many, than any other, and always give the very best satisfaction. They thoroughly separate Cheat, Cockle, and every other impurity from the Wheat.

All in want are certain of obtaining the very best article by sending their orders to

S MARCH.

aug. 4th.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.

The copartnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm of W. T. & J. M. HINTON is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business of the firm will be settled at their old stand, by W. T. HINTON.

WM. T. HINTON,
JOHN M. HINTON.

March 2d, 1857.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

The undersigned have this day formed a Copartnership under the firm of HINTON & DASHIELL, and will continue the DRY GOODS Business at the old stand.

WM. T. HINTON,
LUTHER C. DASHIELL.

E. City, March 2, 1857.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned would inform the citizens of Eliz. City and surrounding country, that he is prepared to do PLASTERING in all of its branches, both plain and fancy, centre pieces of all kinds, panel enrichments, &c.

SLATING *also done by the subscriber.*

☞ All jobs in the country will meet with prompt attention, by addressing

M. W. FATHERLEY.

Eliz. City, Aug. 4th., 1857.—6m

JUST OPENED AT THE BEE HIVE

50 ROOLS of Matting; 20 pieces 4-4 pieces 5-4, and 15 pieces of 6-4 wide will be sold low.

Also, a splendid opening of Barage Robes very cheap and in beautiful styles.

Silks at great bargains.

Parasols, Embroideries, of all kinds, and full stock of all kinds of goods in our line.

The Bee Hive is 32 Main street.

jun 23 JAMES SMITH.

SCHOOL BOOKS! SCHOOL BOOKS!

TO ALL WHO WISH TO BUY CHEAP

THE time has again arrived for the opening of the Schools, and in anticipation of a large demand for School Books, I have been purchasing on the most favorable terms, an immense stock of all the latest and best Books in use in the city and surrounding country, which I intend to sell at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

If you wish to be convinced of the fact,

'COME AND SEE.'

I intend to make large deductions to those who buy in quantities, and shall sell every article in my line as cheap as any establishment in the United States.

W. P. GRIFFITH, Norfolk.
Bookseller and Sationer.
Next door to Bloodgood & Co's.

October 13th 1857.

FRENCH MERINOES—All wool Delaines at Cost at the

BEE HIVE.

no 24 33 Main street, Norfolk.

SILKS, SILKS.

30 PIECES of different styles of Silks just received at the Bee Hive which will be closed out at a bargain.—The Bee Hive is 33 Main street, Norfolk, Va. no 24

NOTICE.

HAVING RESIGNED THE OFFICE OF Town Constable, I would say to those who have claims in my hands, to come forward and get them.

IRON, STEEL, AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY, &c.

THE subscriber offers for sale, at his Depot, No. 13, Water Street,

100 tons American, English and Swedes Iron from ¾ to 12 inches wide and from ¼ to 4 inches round and square.
10 tons Oval half Oval and half round.
5 do Hoops, Screws and Bands.
5 do American and Eng. Blister, German, Spring.
Bellows, Anvils, Vices, Stocks and Dies, hand and sledge Hammers, Borax, Cast Back and two Irons, Files, Rasps, Axes, Hatchets, Wedges, Grubbing, Hilling and Weeding Hoes, Spades, Shovels, Forks, Rakes, &c.
150 kegs Cut Nails, assorted sizes.
50 do Wrought Spikes from 3 to 10 inches.
Trace Chains, Whiffle Trees, Ox Chains, Ox Yokes, Yoke Irons, Bows and Pins.

PLOWS.

For one, two, three and four horses, embracing the largest variety, and greatest assortment, North or South. 50 tons Plow Castings, embracing Mould Boards, Land Sides and Shares to suit, with a very large stock of the following goods, Harrows, Cultivators, Drills, Corn Shellers, Straw Cutters, Hominy Mills, Corn and Cob Crushers, Corn Planters, Seed Sowers, Hay Presses, Wheat Thrashers, Horse Powers, Field Rollers, Coopers Lime and Guano Spreaders, Carts, Waggons, Drays, Wheel and Garden Barrows, Carriage and Waggon Boxes, Horse Shoes, &c., with every other implement that can be adesired of the best conducted Farm.

For premium Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Straw Cutters, and all other reliable goods, send your orders to have them filled—promptly, and low prices, to

nov 25 S. MARCH.

TIN WARE AND SHEET IRON ESTABLISHMENT.

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY CALL THE attention of the citizens of Elizabeth City and surrounding country, to the fact, that I have located myself in this place, for the purpose of carrying on the

TIN AND SHEET IRON

ousiness in its various branches and forms.—Being a practical workman, I flatter myself that any work I may be favored with will prove perfectly satisfactory.

I shall keep constantly on hand Coffee Pots Buckets, Pans, Cups, Ice Cream Freezers and in fact every thing generally kept in an establishment of the kind

Bathing apparatus of every description made to order.

Roofing, Guttering and Spouting done in the best and most substantial manner, on reasonable terms.

Old Copper, Brass, Pewter and Lead bought or taken in exchange for new work.

Store on Road street, next to the Boot and Shoe Store of Messrs. Knox & Jackson.

uly 10—tf THOS. J. MISKELL.

FALL HARDWARE TRADE 1857.

DIRECT IMPORTATION.

ALLYN, ROSE & CAPPS.

HEAD OF THE SQUARE,

SIGN OF THE SAWS,

NORFOLK, VA.

ARE receiving their Foreign and Domestic Hardware suited to the wholesale trade, which they offer at reduced prices, and upon as accommodating terms as any other establishment in the United States, such as

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